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PERSONAL NOTES

Arrivals and Departures of Residents and Visitors.

IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

The Column Everybody Reads—Chat About Your Friends and Neighbors—Here and There.

M. W. Corle spent Sunday with his family.

Mrs. John Dull spent Saturday in Cumberland.

Paul Naus was a Cumberland visitor Tuesday.

Miss Mollie Reed is visiting friends in Cumberland.

Miss Leone Sell was a week end visitor in Altoona.

S. R. Longenecker, Esq., is in Philadelphia this week.

Mrs. John Clark was an Altoona shopper Wednesday.

Charles Allen is a guest of Wilkinsburg friends this week.

Mrs. Samuel Claar spent Sunday with Cumberland friends.

Mrs. W. B. Mock was a Cumberland visitor on Saturday.

Dr. B. F. Shires left for Philadelphia Wednesday morning.

W. S. Reed was a business visitor in Schellsburg on Tuesday.

Ralph Longenecker, E[illegible] of [illegible]ttsburg is ill with pr[illegible]monia.

Miss Helen Bu[illegible] of Roaring Spring, is visiting M[illegible]ry May.

Michael Berkh[illegible]mer and family moved to Claysburg this week.

Mre. Myrtle Fisher of Cumberland was a Bedford visitor recently.

Mrs. T. Sherman Amick was a Cumberland visitor on Saturday.

Miss Helen Barnett is visiting friends in Cumberland this week.

Mrs. Moses Lippel left yesterday for a visit with friends in Chicago.

Culp Metzger is visiting his parents, Capt. and Mrs. Fred A. Metzger.

Mrs. A. C. Kintner of Cumberland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. I. H. Leo.

A. A. Rudy of Cumberland was a business visitor in Bedford on Wednesday.

Charles Bollinger left this week for Tyrone, where he has accepted a position.

Alexander Russell spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Russell.

W. B. Mock, Register and Recorder was a business visitor in Everett on Tuesday.

Mrs. Edwin Davidson and baby spent the week end with friends in Cumberland

Mrs. J. Howard Feight, Notary Public, was a busines visitor in Saxton yesterday

Miss Katherine Street, of Cumberland, spent the past week with Miss Helen Barnett.

Rev J Albert Eyler and son, Paul attended a special meeting of Juniata Classis in Altona on Monday

Mrs. Russell Weidel of Altoona is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs Samuel Delancey.

H. C. Heckerman attended the funeral of Paul Craig Hendricks at Chambersburg the first of the week.

Mrs. Clyde Crissey of Nanty, Glo, was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs S H Crissey of Napier

Mr. Thaddeus Boor of Mattie passed through Bedford, Tuesday on his way to the Hospital at Cumberland for treatment

Mrs. John L McLanghlin returned home the first part of last week from a visit with relatives in Pittsburg, Johnstown and Altoona

Mr and Mrs D W Beam spent this week in Pittsburg attending the annual convention of the State Retail Hardware Association.

Miss Mildred Parsons, a graduate nurse of the Western Maryland hospital at Cumberland, is a guest at the home of her uncle, Fred C Pate

Frank E. Colvin, Esq., and Mrs Colvin left Thursday for Johnsonburg, where they will visit their daughter and son-in-law, Dr and Mrs Walter Lotz

Mr and Mrs Simon Oppenheimer of Bedford, Pa announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Fannie Oppenheimer, to Edgar E Schlesinger At home Sunday from 2 until 5 o'clock and from 7 until 11 o'clock, at the home of I R Wolf, 5434 Prairie avenue, Chicago

St Clairsville School Report

Following is a report of the St Clairsville Borough School for the fifth month, ending January 31

Whole number in attendance, boys 21, girls 21, total 42 Average attendance, boys 19, girls 19, total 38. Percent of attendance boys 92, girls 88; total 90

Honor Roll—Virginia Cobler, Edith Beckley, Zelda Berkheimer, Regina Fickes, Ruth Thompson, Alice Beckley, Miriam Slonaker, Wilma Smith. Gertrude Gates, Beam Slonaker, Stanton Beam, Miles Thompson, Edgar Shroyer, John Henderson, Russell Fickes, Sewell Henderson, Chester Stambaugh, Russell Stambaugh.

W. Clarence Weyant, Teacher

Sunshine Choir

Come to the Epworth League services this coming Sunday and hear the "Sunshine Choir" of 40 voices. This Choir was organized by the League January 2, and under the direction of Mr. Lantz Knight, has put the Epworth League of M. E. Church in the front ranks. Remember the time 6 30 sharp Place M. E Church.

Spidel-Hammond.

Married by Rev. J. Albert Eyler, at St John's parsonage, February 1st. Mr Clarence Spidel and Miss Lola M Hammond.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN



For he, to whom we had applied
Our shopman's test of age and worth,
Was elemental when he died,
As he was ancient at his birth:

The saddest among kings of earth,
Bowed with a galling crown, this man
Met rancor with a cryptic mirth,
Laconic—and Olympian.

—*E. A. Robinson.*

S. Taylor Diehl.

S Taylor Diehl, died at his home in Charlesville, Colerain township, Monday morning, of this week, having been paralized the previous day He was born October 28, 1849, in Friend's Cove, his father being Solomon Diehl, long since deceased In 1874 he was united in marriage to Martha Pennell, who survives him together with the following children: Harry M, of Clarksburg, W. Va, Laura, wife of Joseph Shoemaker, of Derry, Pa, Chas E, of Woodbury, Ambrose, of Cumberland, Md; J Percy, at home, Chester S., at Derry, Pa, and Brady, Alton, Mabel and Irene at home Mr Diehl is the last one of a family of eight childen, he having seven sisters preceding him to the grave The funeral was conducted by Rev Walter C Pugh, at the Brick Church, Friend's Cove yesterday and he was laid to rest in the cemetery adjoining the church. Mr Diehl was a life long and consistent member of the Reformed Church and was an officer, as deacon or elder for years and years He was also a life long member of the I. O. O. F., No 730, at Rainsburg and was a director in the Friend's Cove Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company for years and was for 19 years its president He was for some time a school director of Colerain Township and was an ardent member of the Grange, and was chaplain at the time of his death Mr Diehl was a very prominent man in Bedford County and was known by a host of people in this and several adjoining counties He was a fine man in every particular and always won the respect and admiration of those with whom he associated

Quaker Valley Telephone Company.

The farmers in the western end of Bedford County held a meeting at Springhope, February 8th, and organized a farmers' telephone company, known as "The Quaker Valley Telephone Company". A connection will be made with the Bell System at their New Paris exchange. The election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Harry Burns, Springhope. Vice President, George H. Miller, Schellsburg. Secretary, Joseph Penrose, Fishertown. Asst. Secreary, W. D. Hoover, Fishertown. Treasurer, Isaac Blackburn, Springhope. Directors: J. S. Hoover, Fishertown, Irvin Miller, Fishertown, David Blattenberger, Fishertown, R. S. Rininger, Springhope, G. M. Smith, Springhope, Ray Mowry, Schellsburg, John Rock, Schellsburg. Manager, John H. Williams, Schellsburg.

Paul Craig Hendricks.

On last Friday morning at Atlantic City, when the Hotel Overbrook burned to the ground, Paul Craig Hendricks, son of Rev and Mrs Irvin H Hendricks of Chambersburg, was one of the victims Young Hendricks was a student in the public schools of Bedford while his father served the Reformed Church at this place for several years. He was a graduate of Mercersburg Academy and Haverford College, class of 1915 Rev. and Mrs Hendricks, who were well known throughout Bedford County and particularly among the people of Bedford, have the deepest sympathy among their friends and acquaintances

James Northcraft Fisher.

James N Fisher of Robinsville Monroe township, died on Monday morning at about 2 o'clock, of pneumonia He was over 79 years of age and was born in Southampton township, near Mt Zion Church He was first married to Mary Aaron, sister of James Aaron, of Chaneysville, to which union there were five children David F., of Cumberland, Md Oliver S, of Clearville, Rt 1, Ettie, wife of Hillary Towell, of Ft Scott Kansas; Mary, wife of Daniel James Ocean, W Va and Harriet, wife of Sherman Amick, Wolfsburg, Pa His first wife having died many years ago He was later married to Rebecca Struckman

Lincoln Day Memorial Services

The services at the Bedford Methodist church on Sunday evening, at 7 30, will be in honor of our first martyr president. A splendid semi-centennial programme of the Freedman's Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will be used, and the address of the evening will be given by Hon. John H. Jordan on "The Moral Side of Lincoln's Life". At the morning service at 11 o'clock the pastor will preach on a subject which should be of interest to the entire membership of the church. During the Sunday School hour from 9.45 to 10 o'clock the various classes will be visited by Lu Lung Lee, a representative of the Peking University, and a free will offering will be taken for Chen Tung Kun, the native Chinese student, whom the school is supporting at Peking University. The Epworth League service of this church at 6.30 continues to grow in interest and numbers. The large chorus choir and orchestra give life to the music.

A Pleasant Surprise.

On Friday evening, February 4, a number of the friends of Miss Margaret Dibert, gathered at her home and gave her a pleasant surprise. The evening was spent in music and games Dainty refreshments were served and at a late hour all returned to their homes Those present were Mr. and Mrs John Yont, Mis Sadie Dibert, Ruth Mock, Lillian Fletcher, Lula Stickler, Blanche and Margaret Dibert, Mabel and Amy Diehl, Anna Biddle, Bertha and Mary Stayer, Ethel Moore, Lula Stayer, Elsie Claar, Messrs Ira Dibert, Henry and Marshall Shaffer, Lloyd Koontz, Roy Bagley, John Bridaham, Clarence and Raymond Claar, Oran Biddle, and John Dively A guest

Eighty-Third Anniversary.

Mrs Silas H Sparks of [illegible] East Tenth avenue, Winfield, Kansas, celebrated her eigthy-third birthday anniversary Thursday, January 27, with her daughter, Miss Mary L Sparks and her niece, Mrs Riddle of Kansas City present

Mrs Riddle has been in Winfield with Mrs Sparks and Miss Sparks during the past month

A birthday dinner was served at noon Pink and white roses decked the dinner table

Mrs Sparks received many beautiful flowers and cards of greetings from her friends in remembrance of her birthday

Mrs Sparks was Miss Julia Kerr sister of the late E F Kerr, and known to many in this county

NEW PARIS

February 9, 1916

The revival meeting held in the U B Church is still in progress with much interest manifested.

In reporting the death of Mrs. A. P. Latshaw last week in giving the surviving children the name of Ida, Mrs. Winter Davis of New Paris, was omitted.

At present itlooks very favorable that the Claar Telephone Company will extend its lines from Osterburg to Schellsburg via Fishertown, Springhope and Point, and from Pleasantville to New Paris via Ryot. New Paris will be connected to Bedford by stringing wires on the Long Distance or Bell Telephone Company's poles. A central office or exchange will be located at New Paris

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STOP! LOOK!! LISTEN!!! FIREMAN'S FESTIVAL.

The Big Fireman's Festival will begin next Monday evening, February 14.

For delicious things to eat, made by the housewives of Bedford and served by the young ladies.

Ice Cream, Oysters, Sandwiches, Cake, Eats.

The Festival will last from Monday the 14th to Tuesday the 22nd. Closing on the evening of Washington's Birthday.

Come one! Come all!!

Come early and enjoy the good things to eat. Good music by the Bedford Band and Orchestra.

Come and boost a good cause.

Bedford Fire Department.

Deeds Recorded.

W C Sayler et ux to Scott N. Hammer et al, lot in Pleasantville, $1700-00.

Scott N. Hammer et ux to Jacob B. Potts, lot in Pleasantville, $1500.00.

David H. Miller Heirs to Geo. F. Miller, tract in West St. Clair Township, $3300.

Isaac Pierson by Administrator, to Emma Jane Cornell, lot in Bedford Borough, $1700.00.

Artemas Bennett by Trustee to Amos R. Elbin, tract in Mann Township, $485.00.

R Norbert Oppenheimer et al to John Fisher, tract in Bedford Township, $225 00.

James Clabaugh to Clarence E. Fisher, 2 lots in Hopewell Borough, $1100.00

Virginia Baylor to Martha Mock, lot in Bedford Borough, $1.00.

Warren C. White et ux to Wesley Bennett, lot in Southampton.

David Holderbaum by Executor to David B. Koontz, lot in Bedford Borough, $2350.00.

Emma M. Brightbill to Arma W Landis, lot in Saxton Borough, $110.

Henry M. Wright et ux to Matilda Belle Barber, tract in Broad Top, $1.00.

Henry B Feathers Heirs to Mary Feathers, tract in Kimmell Township,

Edmund Ash to George Ash, tract in Mann Township, $1800.00.

Thomas M Mervine by Executor to Emma Jane Mortimore, lot in Bedford Borough, $1950.

Libbie Bassler to Lewis B. Furry, lot in Woodbury Borough, $3,000.

Elizabeth A. Koontz et al to Geo W. Koontz, tract in Bedford Township, $1743 00.

Abel Johnson et ux to Amos R. Elbin, tract in Mann Township, $375.

David Smith et ux to Amos R Elbin, tract in Mann Township, $300

Peter Nunamaker et ux to Rebecca Imler, tract in West St. Clair, $1000.

William DeVore to Howard P. Cook, tract in Hyndman, $5300 00

W. W. McDaniel to A M McClure, lot in Everett Borough, $9300.00

Andrew W Schtrompf to Geo. W Schtrompf, lot in Everett, $300 00

Henry Imler et ux to John H Imler, 14 tracts in Bedford Township, $2800

Francis A Miller et ux to Arma Zuella Hyde et al, tract in Londonderry Township $1 00

John K McCulloh by Trustee to Angelo Scaletta, lot in Bedford Borough, $3900

Jos H Snider to Edward Ash, et al, tract in Southampton, $1821 00

Dennis Ash et al to Edward Ash, tract in Southampton.

Directors Meeting.

Directors of the Bedford County Agricultural Society met Saturday evening, and elected the falling officers to serve for the ensuing year Dr S F Statler, President and General Manager Wm F. Barclay, Assistant General Manager Vice President A C Richards, Thomas P Beckley R A Long, A H Whetstone, J E Thropp, Wilson Guyer, Geo Dibert, J. J Barclay, Thomas C Fulton and Howard Cessna, J Roy Cessna, Recording Secretary, Jo. W Tate, Cor Secretary Wm A Weisel Treasurer The date of our coming Fair will be October 4-7 and 6

"SEE YOU IN HEAVEN" ELOPER WRITES WIFE, SHE DOUBTS IT

Harrisburg Pa Feb 9—After eloping with pretty 20-year-old Mary Frantz organist of the church in which he was Sunday School superintendent F J Lutz of New Benton a suburb [illegible] his wife as follows

Sell our property and keep the money. Forgive me for what I am doing, and some day I will meet you in heaven

Mrs Lutz says she will take her husband's advice, sell the property and keep the cash but declared, I have my doubts about seeing him in heaven"

Temperance Mass Meeting

The coming of Miss Louise E Hollister national lecturer and organizer for the W C T U, is assurance of a temperance meeting of unusual interest on next Friday evening, February 18, at the Court House.

Miss Hollister has a great message for all and should be greeted by a crowded house Following are the dates for her Bedford County itinerary: February 17, Hyndman. February 18 and 19, Bedford. February 20, Fishertown. February 21, Everett February 22, Wolfsburg. February 23 Six Mile Run. Admission free to all meetings. Collection. Hour of Bedford meeting, 7 30 p m., Court House.

Hershiser-Nagler.

Feb. 9th Mr John M Hershiser, of Cumberland, Md, and Miss Mae E. Nagler, of Bedford. Have gone to spend their honeymoon at Knoxville, Tenn. Will make their future home in Cumberland, Md where Mr Hershiser is an engineer on the Western Maryland R R.

MENTIONED IN BRIEF

Town Talk and Neighborhood Notes Tersely Told

MANY ITEMS OF INTEREST

Gleaned From Various Sources—Little Points Picked Up By Vigilant Reporters.

Gazette calendars are now ready for distribution.

Saturday, February 12, being a legal holiday, all banks will be closed.

Thomas P. Beckley of Pleasantville has been very ill for the past two weeks.

Miss Madge Reed entertained a number of her friends at her home on Monday evening.

Mrs. Josiah Pearson of Windber formerly of Pleasantville, died at her home at Windber, Tuesday, February 8. Her remains were taken to Pleasantville for burial.

C. Clarence Otto, proprietor Bedford Monumential Works placed a large monument in the Bedford cemetery this week, which weighed nearly 3 tons.

On Monday, February 7, Gov. Brumbaugh appointed James H. Gump of Rainsburg, Robert M. Wilfong, of Schellsburg and John C. Anderson of Bedford Township, Justices of the Peace.

Mr. and Mrs Charles W. Lee move this week from the Corboy property on East Penn St., to the Ridenour flat recently vacated by Mrs. J. C. Compton. Mail carrier, Howard [illegible]ardorf, will move into the Corboy property

Get your tickets for the Gettysburg College Musical at Dull's or from one of the following patroness Mrs Harry Cook, Mrs Lloyd Hinkle, Mrs John Bortz, Mrs. Charles Gensimore, Mrs H E Weiand, Grace Hartley, Ida Bortz, Nell Filler, Mary Otto, Grace Stewart, Maud Cessna.

The Millersville banquet for central Pennsylvania will be held at Roaring Spring, on Saturday, February 19. All graduates or students are entitled to attend and may take husbands, wives or sweethearts with them If there has been any person or persons who has not received a card of announcement, if they will kindly address Mrs Charles Noss, Secretary, 1118 Seventh Ave Altoona, Pa, she will be glad to send one.

A new firm operating under the name of the Oppenheimer Implement and Supply Company have [illegible] the business and contracted for the goods heretofore owned by Isaac Pierson and Ellis H Koontz Mr Koontz will continue with firm and location will be 60 feet frontage [illegible] at the Oppenheimer store building including Implement house [illegible] extending 90 feet back Mr Oppenheimer will be the proprietor and manager of the new firm

We are pleased to note that Mr Ellsworth Growden of Cumberland Valley and Mr Peter Donahoe of Bena's Cove have been selected as two members of a committee of six to represent the Rural Credit Conferencee held in Cumberland [illegible] representing Maryland, Pennsylvania West Virginia, to devise ways and means of securing an [illegible] investigation of personal [illegible] bills to be passed in Congress this session Mr Donahoe and Mr Growden are both successful [illegible] farmers of the south [illegible] Bedford county and are both conservative and broad minded [illegible] chairman of the conference, [illegible] William H Smouse could not have secured any better men in that end of the county We hope that their [illegible] and recommendations will be adopted by the committee on [illegible] credits and that every law will be passed for the benefit of the [illegible] nation

GEPHART RESIGNS

[illegible] 28, 1916

O. D. Gephart [illegible] position of Night Chief [illegible] his residence [illegible] effect at once [illegible] important [illegible] Assistant Superintendent [illegible] and Southwestern railroad [illegible] quarters in El Paso [illegible] was preferred to Mr [illegible] son of his splendid [illegible] ity as a railroad man [illegible] him on the ladder of future [illegible] in the railway world [illegible] those affable courteous [illegible] employees in whom the [illegible] public place complete [illegible] respect The patrons of [illegible] Santa Fe who had occasion to [illegible] with his department, will regret greatly his leaving, but congratulate [illegible] on his deserved promotion [illegible] leave for the Pass City Sunday to assume his new duties, Mrs Gephart and son remaining in this city until spring as Fred is one of the members of the High School class, they joining Mr Gephart in El Paso as soon as the school term is completed

Mr Gephart is a brother of Mr P M Gephart of the Pennsylvania [illegible]

Marriage Licenses

Jacob Snook and Sarah M [illegible] hemer, both of Bedford

Anda Zimmerman and Mer[illegible] [illegible]tus, both of Saxton

Clarence H Nycum of [illegible] and Ruth L Winesickle of [illegible]

William Daffner and [illegible] both of Wood, Huntingdon [illegible]

John M Hershiser of [illegible] and Mae E Nagler [illegible]

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Valentines of Ye Olden Times

A REVIVAL of the dear, demonstrative customs of Saint Valentine's festival is here. With the gay ribbons, the brocades and tinsel and the silken flowers of the Louises that are prevalent in our house and dress decorations, has come a recrudescence of sentiment. For the modern maid—whose latest nickname the little creatures smacks of the early Victorian—for her of the ruffled skirts and the lovelocks have returned the burning hearts the arrows of Cupid, the altar and the garlanded rings, the paired doves nesting in lace paper—all the sweet, passionate symbolism and the biting rimes that wooed and won the damsel's beruffled and becurled great-grandmamma. These will be hers to receive and give, if she follows the old, old rules of the game. The slim modern youth with the slightly romantic air induced by his Byronic haircut will not disdain to send his love a realistic aortic conflagration if he knows she will not laugh at it.

Happily, too, they may both cease thinking of good Saint Valentine merely as a pious substitute for the deliciously wicked Lupercalia, or even as a sort of philandering, gray-bearded amorous cousin to Saint Nicholas, for there is a delightful secret concerning him, a pathetic bit of gossip!

The handsome Valentine of Rome, belonging to one of the leading early Christian families, was an ambitious young presbyter, reputed austere. He was cruelly opposed by that impossibly pagan person, Governor Calpurnius, who hurled Valentine into prison, and all that sort of thing, and finally had him beheaded, on the Flaminian Way, Anno Domini 207. But there is the gossip, which I will let my informant give in her own words.

"I have by me a very old Book, which has the following Account of Valentine being confined at Rome on account of his Religion, and committed to the care of a Man whose daughter was blind, whom Valentine restored to Sight and from that Time the Girl became enamored of him, nor did he treat her Affection with Contempt. But after a long Imprisonment he was ordered for Publick Execution on the 14th of February. While in Prison being deprived of Books he used to amuse himself with cutting Curious Devices in Paper, on one of which he wrote some pious Exhortations and Assurances of Love, and sent to the Keepers Daughter the Morning of Execution, and being concluded in the Words, 'Your Valentine,' there is great reason for supposing that to be the origin of the present Custom.' Thus saith Mistress Diana Mason in the introduction to Kemmish's Annual and Universal Valentine Writer for 1797. After reviewing the variants of this legend as submitted by Miss Mason of Clapham, and John Nuttal of Bury, the compiler of the Annual thus delivers himself: 'We give it as our opinion, that the first appears to be of most genuine stream.' It is a pity that you cannot [illegible] despise essays. They are so cheerfully convincing withal.

It is pleasing thus to be able to conceive of the saint as a young lover the initiated Archflamen of Hymen, as Charles Lamb named him, removed in the early stages of a mounting passion to be the patron of all true lovers and to inspire forever the daintily sentimental, endearingly naive, over decorated human documents we call valentines.

The pretty customs of the Lover's Festival have flourished for centuries on the European continent, in England and Scotland, and even in America to some extent. But the ceremonial of Valentine Choosing, which is actually an adaptation of the blind lottery of the Roman Lupercalia, is now unused. Mission the Traveler gives this seventeenth century account of the ritual:

"An equal number of maids and bachelors indite their names upon separate billets, which they roll up, and draw by way of lots, the maids taking the men's billets and the men the maids'; so that each of the young men lights upon a girl that he calls his valentine, and each of the girls upon a young man whom she calls hers. By this means each has two valentines, but the man sticks faster to the valentine to whom he had fallen. Fortune having thus divided the company into so many couples, the valentines give balls and treats to their mistresses, wear their billets several days upon their bosoms or sleeves and this little sport often ends in love."

Stilted Love Letter.

A prose love letter was written by the celebrated earl of Chesterfield in 1661. "Madam," his letter begins "The dullness of this last cold season doth afford nothing that is now to divert you; only here is a report that if fain would know the truth of, which is, that I am extremely in love with you. Pray let me know if it be true or no, since I am certain that no one but yourself can rightly inform me; for if you intend to use me favorably, and do think I am in love with you, I'm almost certainly am so; but if you intend to receive me coldly, and do not believe that I am in love, I also am willing that I am not; therefore let me entreat you to put me out of a doubt as soon as you can.

Dear Madam, your most obedient, faithful servant,

Chesterfield.

RHEUMATISM ARRESTED

Many people suffer the tortures of lame muscles and stiffened joints because of impurities in the blood, and each succeeding attack seems more acute until rheumatism has invaded the whole system.

To arrest rheumatism it is quite as important to improve your general health as to purify your blood, and the cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion is nature's great blood-maker, while its medicinal nourishment strengthens the organs to expel the impurities and upbuild your strength.

Scott's Emulsion is helping thousands every day who could not find other relief.

Refuse the alcoholic substitutes.



A Scotchman whose name was Isbister
Had a maiden giraffe he called "sister"
When she said "Oh, be mine,
Be my sweet Valentine!"
He just shinned up her long neck and kissed her

—Ellis Parker Butler.

We must distinguish four kinds of voices of God—the voice of his providence, the voice of his law, the voice of his gospel and the voice of his punishments.—Dubosc

ROMANCES END IN "CUPID'S MORGUE"

Many a Token of Affection Finds Its Way to the Dead Letter Office.

Every Year Thousand of Valentines Fail to Reach Their Destination Because of Carelessness on the Part of Those Who Send Them.

THE failure to dot an "i" or cross a "t" helps to fill "Cupid's morgue" and often places in jeopardy the real romance of many a man and maid who go through life thinking that the anonymous outpourings of their hearts were not appreciated, or that the intended recipient lacked intuition. Thousands of these votaries of St. Valentine lose out every fourteenth day of February and wonder why, little thinking it was only the slip of the pen in addressing the valentine to the chosen one that caused it to go astray and finally reach "Cupid's morgue," as it is called at the dead letter office at Washington.

Or it may be the lost valentine was sent to a "Nixie post office," which sounds like a place for only mysterious letters which are sent to little brownies, pixies and fairies by small children, but is in reality just a flag station on the railroad, and not a post office at all. In this case it is left at the nearest post office, and if the addressee fails to claim it the valentine then reaches "Cupid's morgue" at some one of the sixteen division headquarters of the railway mail service.

When it reaches the morgue, if it bears a written message, every means is resorted to to find for whom it was intended, for Uncle Sam has a lot of sentiment, so sometimes by the postmark and a wonderful astuteness in unravelling the secret intentions of people which characterizes the clerks in the dead letter office through whose hands it passes, the fair one or gallant is reached. As real valentines are never signed—for that is their mysterious charm—it takes a kindred feeling and the cleverest sort of detective work to unravel the mystery of their destination. In the event of failure, he who thinks these messengers of sentiment and love are ruthlessly destroyed or sold at auction in one of the several dead letter sales which take place each year is mistaken, for in the case of valentines, with some exceptions, what is one's loss is another's gain, and while a trifle belated reach a happy destination where they are thoroughly appreciated.

On the 14 of February all over the country the mails increase about ten per cent, and while this is not as large an increase as at Christmas and Easter, it is very noticeable, requiring a longer time to sort and deliver the valentine matter. The special delivery and parcel post service help to facilitate getting out the mails on this day, and the latter is particularly interesting in the variety and uniqueness of the articles it carries as souvenirs of the celebration.

With each year styles change, and the old-fashioned, large, lace paper valentines in the embossed envelopes of the last century, and the fancy cards in pasteboard boxes which used to be sent and were such a trial in the stamping machine, have now given place to thousands of post cards, while books, candy, flowers [illegible] articles requiring come by special delivery or in the parcel post.

There is no live stock of any description carried by parcel post except by accident, though there is under discussion at this time a plan looking toward an extension of the service in this direction, that the farmers and country people generally may have the benefit of sending their live poultry, and perhaps game, to customers direct.

However, on last Valentine day a country swain not being up in parcel post regulations and wishing to send the admired one a suggestive, live, homey valentine, sent her a pair of bantam chickens by the parcel post. The postmaster at the country post office, not having read carefully his instructions, or perhaps having a fellow feeling, allowed the tiny cock and hen to come to Washington, and they were so cute and the cock crowed so lustily on his arrival that the parcel post man delivered the pair to the intended one. Besides these, a pair of rabbits came through in the same way.

Since the rage for picture postcards began valentines largely take that form, and as addresses are often defective, and there are no return marks, these are turned into "Cupid's morgue" in the dead letter office, where they are carefully looked over, sorted out, put in packages and by the help of a list furnished by municipal officers, sent around to the various charitable institutions and hospitals. On reaching this final destination they are distributed among the inmates and patients in the wards, of course the children coming first.

This is a wise and cheerful disposition of them that Uncle Sam has thought out, as they bring sunshine to many a little child and older person, too, who may have been overlooked on St. Valentine's day. And though the gift is a bit late, it is enjoyed just as much, as was illustrated in the case of an old sailor in one of the hospitals, who was moved to tears of joy at the sight of the valentine, explaining to the nurse that it was the first he had received in years. The last one reached him in a foreign port, he explained, and since then there had been silence.

Flowers and fruit are distributed in a similar way after being kept for a reasonable length of time in the large ice box which was installed in October in the new city post office for that purpose, all perishable goods being put in this if delivery is belated.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

NATURE'S ENDOWMENT

Little Talks on Health and Hygiene by Samuel G. Dixon, M. D. LL. D. Commissioner of Health.

Many people make the error of looking upon health as a crude possession that Nature bestows now and again in defiance of her own laws. True, from time to time we meet splendid specimens of manhood and womanhood that apparently resist unusual hardships in an environment which would not seem conductive to good health but in Nature nothing thrives in the long run which is not given proper conditions.

Every violation of the laws of Nature makes it's impression on the vitality of man who loses his resistance at every blow until the injury is so great that it becomes manifest to our grosser senses.

The maintenance of health is today based upon both science and art. Fortunately it is within the reach of the vast majority of our people and the man or woman who realizes the value of self control has learned the first principle.

Appreciation of the things most worth while never comes from excessive indulgence. A rational life is fairly certain to be an important factor in health and happiness. Many a man or woman whom Nature has endowed with but a medium physique has cultivated and maintained a degree of bodily health sufficient to insure them a rational and pleasurable life. On the other hand many a physical giant has so presumed upon Nature's endowment as to have wrecked that most precious gift—a good constitution.

Chalybeateville

February 8, 1916.

Mrs. Ellen Mullen of Mann's Choice spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Jacob Dibert, also visited friends in our village.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sone rejoice over the arrival a new dishwasher in their home.

Mrs. William Z. Cook of Roxbury is at present time confined to her room with pneumonia.

Mr. William Hartzell is still on the sick list.

Literary at the Moore school next Friday evening, February 11th.

Mr. Grover Hershberger, wife and daughter, Evelyn spent Sunday at the home of the latters father, W. W. Devore of this place.

Grippe has the grip, it seems on the people. Everyone has the disease.

Mrs. George Stifler of Altoona spent a few days the later part of last week with her mother, Mrs. George W. Diehl near Pleasant Valley, who is under the care of the doctor.

Mr. John Burket, who is working in Black Valley, paid his parents a short visit one day last week.

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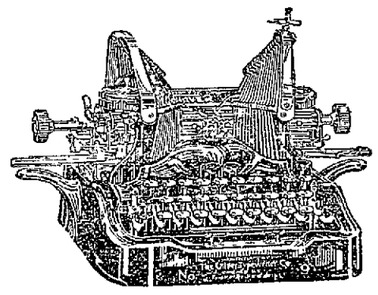
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The festival given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the M.E.Church of Defiance in Little Hall last Saturday night was well attended and we are told that it proved to be a success financially.

J. H. Little, Jr., our hustling merchant, was a business visitor to Harrisburg several days last week.

Quite a few persons in and about Defiance are suffering with some form of the Grippe.

Mrs. Cloyd Weimer of Pleasant Unity, Pa., was home for a few days last week assisting her sister, Miss Mary Little, in their father's store, while he was out of town on business.

County Superintendent, Hinkle in company with Mr. Brumbaugh visited schools in Broad Top Township two days last week.

Misses Ora McCabe and Gertrude Hoag had each two days of vacation last week, owing to a diphtheria scare which caused the Riddlesburg schools to be closed. We think the scare is about over and the schools are in session again.

Miss Catherine McLaughlin one of Bedford's successful teachers, spent the week end with her friend, Miss Ora McCabe of Defiance.

Edward Brennen, one of our high school graduates and an employee of Salem Wentworth since his graduation, went to Akron, Ohio, two weeks ago to seek employment and his friends are glad to know that he had no trouble to secure work that is to his liking and that he is doing well.

Miss Virginia Shaw has dropped out of the high school to accept a position as assistant teacher in the Domestic Science department of Chambersburg high school. While we would have been glad to have Miss Shaw complete her course yet we are pleased to know that she is prepared to teach the subject of Domestic Science and that she has a good position.

Your scribe had a pleasant conference with Hon. William Lauder last Saturday at his home at Riddlesburg concerning school matters, both state and local. Mr. Lauder will be away from home much of the time and will have little opportunity to meet with the board of school directors.

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LINCOLN, MAN OF THE PEOPLE

Many Reasons Why He Has Justly Been Given the Title of Typical American.

Firm Believer Always in the Conception of Democracy Which Is the Foundation of Our Nation—His Many High Qualities Worthy of Emulation.

TO save Abraham Lincoln from deathly apotheosis of the steel engraving has been a laudable effort of recent years. Of course it will not prevent the process of legend making which works upon the earthly reality of every great man, and in due time leaves him a desiccated abstraction existing for the heavy boredom of childhood. Even Lincoln, with his vital, homely outlines, his intimate, endearing faults, and strong flavor of his day, must come to this turn. But the process may be retarded and ought to be as long as we can contrive.

One hundred and seven years ago Lincoln was born. Fifty-one years ago he was shot, by John Wilkes Booth, and on the next day he died, the first "martyred president." A great wave of passionate sorrow, gratitude and affection swept the North. The process of apotheosis began. Today it may be observed in the sanctified generalities of Lincoln orations, editorials, poems and articles.

Moved by Flattery.

The central idea of the overwhelming majority of these tributes is Lincoln, the man of the people, the typical American. Year after year on February 12 and frequently throughout the year we hear this confident summary and without examining it. Is this mental inertia or are we unconsciously moved by the flattery implicit in this idea? An editorial in the New Republic suggests the latter. The real purpose of Lincoln-day speakers is not so much to eulogize Lincoln, this journal declares, as to flatter the audience. "If Mr. Lincoln was so entirely a man of the people, the people must be very like to Lincoln."

New View of Great President.

The reproach has more of justice than we like to think. The orator is the courtier of democracy flattering the sovereign citizen as grossly as ever an emperor was flattered. The flattery of indirect praise is unusually delicate and insidious, and it is well for us to examine it coolly. The New Republic puts it sharply away. "In point of fact Mr. Lincoln was superficially a man of the people, and fundamentally a unique, distinguished and wholly exceptional individual. In certain salient respects he was the least typical of Americans. Americans, particularly those of Lincoln's own generation and neighborhood, were essentially active, aggressive and objective men, whose lives were given over to practical external affairs, who subordinated everything else to the demands of practical achievement, and whose individuality consisted in living ordinary lives in an extraordinarily energetic manner. They were superficial, discursive, easy-going, quarrelsome, and wholly incapable of preparing in advance for any task or responsibility. In all these respects Lincoln differed from his fellow countrymen, and upon these differences his eminence depends. He was not particularly ambitious, aggressive or practical. In spite of his lively social feelings, he lived a contemplative life, in which the intellectual interest obtained full expression and which attained a high degree of internal concentration. He fought hard and well, but he never quarreled. During his formative years he quietly but unostentatiously prepared himself for great enterprises. He trained his mind because he enjoyed hard intellectual exertion. His style shaped itself under the influence of the Bible and Shakespeare. Thus at a period and in a country favorable to the cheap performance and the easy victory, Mr. Lincoln tempered his reason and his spirit for a great performance and a costly victory. Was there anything typically American about that?"

Ideas Worth Consideration.

This is refreshing variation from the "canned eloquence" of the Lincoln day utterance, and it will repay consideration and emphasis, since we are very like our forbears as to just the defects the New Republic here pungently outlines. If we thought more of Lincoln's extraordinary disinterestedness, of his heroic patience, of his deeply brooding spirit, and less of those qualities with which we establish all too readily a rough resemblance to our daily selves, we might get a wholesome and much-needed reaction from our rattling, self-satisfied and shallow life without losing our sense of his reality as a human being having human weaknesses. Especially keen is the thrust delivered at our tendency to "the cheap performance and the easy victory" and its contrast with Lincoln's tempting reason and spirit "for a great performance and a costly victory."

No great victory was ever purchased cheaply. It has always been paid for in long and costly, though often unconscious preparation. Our national optimism, our impatience and superficiality obscure that truth.

As Typical American.

But, after all, in the legend we are making of Lincoln as typical American there is an instinct and a truth that are not superficial. All legend making is a profound process of national self-realization, an intuitive incarnation of national ideals, and in the case of Lincoln it is based upon the sincere, the religious democracy of this great man. The high distinction of mind, as shown, for example, in the prose of the Gettysburg oration, the moral nobility, the introspective aloofness which were an essential part of him, only accentuate for us the warm nearness of his nature to the common man and the common life. Lincoln himself held to the mystical conception of democracy which Whitman expressed in his poetry and which is the dream in the heart of Americanism.

The essential brotherhood of man was an intimate and glowing reality to Lincoln, not a lofty abstraction, and though we betray it and misread it we must cling to it if we are to save the national soul.

Idealizing ourselves through Lincoln is more than self-flattery. It is a crude but not ignoble effort to express the deepest and most pervasive element of American idealism.

List of Dogs Assessed in

Woodbury Township District for year 1916, giving name and address of the owner, sex of each dog and number of the tag therefor.

L. J. Imler, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4501; D. H. Miller, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4502; Ben Brumbaugh, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4503; Henry Adams, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4504; Levi Miller, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. No.4505; Levi Miller, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4506; Robert Trefall, Henrietta, Pa., Male, No. 4507; John Quarry, Martinsburg, Pa., Male, No. 4508; William Forshey, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Female, No. 4509; William Forshey, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4510; William Forshey, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4511; Robert Trefall, Henrietta, Pa., Male, No. 4512; Abram Byers, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4513; C. H. Sell, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4514; C. H. Sell, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Female, No. 4515; Nelson Guyer, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4516; Andy Smith, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4517; Philip Yerty, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4518; Philip Yerty, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4519; E. W. Bassler, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4520; David Frederick, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4521; Henry Foor, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4522; Jerry Haffley, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4523; Irvin Shiffler, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4524 D. A. Miller, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4525; John Keith, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Female, No. 4526; John Keith, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4527; Harry Leidy, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4528; Andy Snowberger, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4529; Loren Longenecker, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4530; Condy Miller, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4531; Mrs. Ben Compson, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4532; Luther Johnson, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4533; Ritner Foor, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4534; George Stonerook, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4535; George Imler, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4536; Irvin Keagy, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4537; H. A. Smith, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4538; Joseph Corle, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4539; Joseph Corle, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Female, No. 4540; Lloyd Dilling, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4541; J. M. Henry, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4542; J. M. Henry, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4543; Robert Manspeaker, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4544; Robert Manspeaker, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4545; W. A. Smith, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4546; Bert Wagoner, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4547; W. A. Smith, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4548; John Guyer, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4549; George Clouse, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4550; L. W. Steele, Curryville, Pa., Male, No. 4551; Sam Frederick, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4552; Frank Morgant, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4553; Harrison Carper, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4554; Sam Carper Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4555; John Storm, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4556; John Storm, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4557; R. E. Berkheimer, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4558; D. M. Mock, Woodbury, Pa., Female, No. 4559; Earl Hoffman, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4560; D. B. Stonerook, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4561; George Mentzer, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4562; L. A. Croft, Bakers Summit, Pa., Male, No. 4563; J. B. Detwiler, Henrietta, Pa., Male, No. 4564; Samuel Rock, Maria, Pa., Male, No. 4565; Abram Keagy, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4566 David Stonerook, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4567; J. B. Grace, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4568; Howard Over, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4569; Miles Claar, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1 Male No. 4570; Miles Claar, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4571; John R. Stayer, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4572; Ritner Foor, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4574; Mrs. Lizzie Hoover, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Female, No. 4574; J. C. Bowser, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4575; George R. Stayer, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4576; Lute Miller, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4577; David Replogle, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4578; Amos Johnson, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4579; Lester Furry, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4580; Charley F. Carper, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4581; Irvin Mock, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4582; William Carper, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male No. 4583; Howard Replogle, Curryville, Pa., Male, No. 4584; Hiram Replogle, Curryville, Pa., Male, No. 4585; James Nicodemus, Curryville, Pa., Male, No. 4586; L. B. Settle, Martinsburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4587; David Hollinger, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4588; Albert Stayer, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4589; Howard Guyer, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4590; Harry Miller, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4591; Harry Miller Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4592; Jesse Fockler, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4593; C. L. Longenecker, Waterside, Pa., Male, No. 4594; John M. Imler, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4595; Daniel Mellot, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4596; Daniel Mellot, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4597; Frank Brown, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4598; David Carper, Woodbury, Pa., Male, No. 4599; Lawrence Replogle, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 4600; Lawrence Replogle, Woodbury, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Female, No. 4371; J. H. 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April 14, 1865, Will Long Be Remembered as One of the Saddest Days in American History—How Murderer of Great President Met His Death.

ON April 14, 1861, the Union flag was hauled down at Fort Sumter, and the war became a fact. On April 14, 1865, the man who had been the head of the Union during the struggle was shot by an assassin. The world today realizes the tragedy of his assassination, but not so well the shock it caused at the time. The shock was the greater because it came without warning.

On the afternoon of April 14, 1865, President Lincoln, accompanied by his wife, went for a long drive. As a recreation he had planned that night to see the famous actress, Laura Keene, in "Our American Cousin," which was being played in what was then Ford's theater on Tenth street northwest, between E and F streets.

General Grant's Narrow Escape.

General Grant was to have been one of the theater party, and the fact that he was unexpectedly called away probably saved his life, as there is no doubt that his murder was also contemplated.

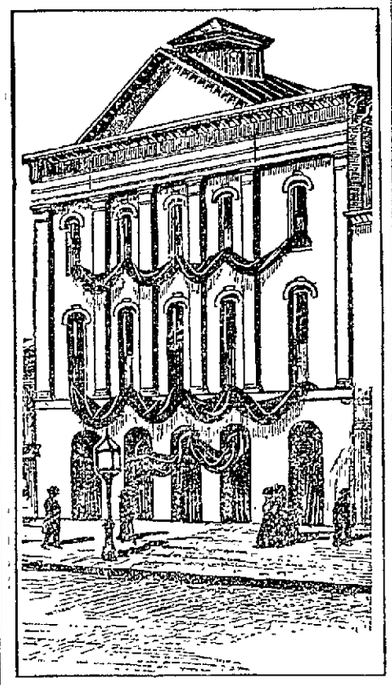
The president's box had been draped with two flags, a silk one borrowed from the treasury department being placed in the center. It was in this that Booth's spur caught when he leaped from the box after shooting Lincoln. Within the box was placed a rocking chair for the use of the president. At 8:30 Mr. Lincoln, Major Rathbone and Miss Harris entered the box to witness a play of which they were destined never to see the end.

As the president sat quietly in his box for an hour and a half, John Wilkes Booth, the assassin, was hovering near, waiting for a favorable opportunity to fire the fatal shot. Booth was a handsome, gay, romantic young actor of the famous family of actors. Edwin Booth was his brother and Junius Brutus Booth his father.

Ardent Southern Sympathizer.

Young Wilkes Booth—he was commonly called by his middle name—was an ardent Southern sympathizer, and his frequent visits to Washington brought him in contact with people of similar sentiments, and gave him the opportunity to put into effect the plan which he imagined would be that of a patriot.

For some months he had been living in Washington, where he had discussed plans with a band of conspirators. These plans at first looked to the capture of the president by taking him bodily, concealing him in one of the cellars of the old Van Ness mansion till a chance offered to get



Ford's Theater.

him out of Washington, and then spiriting him away to Richmond, and compelling the exchange of Southern prisoners for his freedom.

But these plans having gone astray, Booth decided on the morning of April 14 to kill the president in the theater that evening, and escape at once by the rear alley, making his way across what is known as the navy yard bridge, at Anacostia, into Maryland, and thence to Virginia. He never seemed to doubt but that his crime would meet with approbation.

"Peanuts" Held His Horse.

Shortly after 9 p. m. Booth got his horse, and led it to the back door of the theater, leaving it in charge of a boy named Joseph Burroughs, but nicknamed "Peanuts."

About 10:15 he entered the theater, and, walking unnoticed down the aisle, entered the rear of the president's box.

The guard who should have been on duty at the door was down in the parquet, in order to see better. Had he been at his post, it is believed Lincoln's life might have been saved. But as it was Booth gained access to the box, and placed in the doorway a bar which had evidently been prepared for the occasion by someone in the conspiracy.

One of the actors, Harry Hawke, was speaking, when, at 20 minutes past 10, Booth fired a shot into Lincoln's brain. At the sound of the pistol, Rathbone leaped to his feet and grasped Booth, but the latter thrust him aside, after stabbing him several times in the arm.

Flees With Fractured Leg.

Booth then laid his right hand on the box railing and made a leap downward to the stage, but as he did so, his spur caught in the fold of the treasury flag, and he fell in a crouching attitude, which resulted in a broken leg.

Though suffering untold agony, the assassin sprang to his feet, ran out of the rear door of the theater into the alley, jerked the reins from the hands of "Peanuts," leaped into the saddle, and in another second was clattering out of the alley into F street, then away toward Anacostia like a madman—as he probably was.

With Dr. Charles Taft holding the head and several other men the body, Mr. Lincoln was borne out of the door of the theater and into the house of William Petersen at 516 Tenth street, just opposite Ford's.

Death of the President.

The fatal shot had entered the left side of the head behind the left eye, traversing the brain and lodging behind the right eye. At 22 minutes past 7 on the morning of April 18, 1865, he ceased to breathe.

At 11 o'clock that same day Chief Justice Chase administered the oath of office to the new president, Andrew Johnson, in the old Kirkwood house, which stood at Pennsylvania avenue and Twelfth street.

The funeral service of the martyred president was held in the east room of the White House, Wednesday, April 18, at noon, the coffin being then taken to the capitol, where it lay in state in the rotunda till April 21, when the funeral train started for Springfield, Ill.

Booth Escapes to Virginia.

To return to Booth and the rest of the conspirators. The assassin had fled from Washington, and safely passing the guard on the bridge at Anacostia, galloped down into Maryland. Pursuit was at once begun by the government, Col. L. C. Baker having charge of the force sent to capture the murderer.

After some work in tracing the assassin, Baker at last stopped at the home of a farmer, Richard H. Garrett, near Port Royal, Va., at 2 a. m., April 26. A young son informed Baker that those he sought were at that moment sleeping in a wagon house or barn.

Throwing a guard about the building, Baker sent young Garrett into the place to demand that the inmates surrender. Both men at first refused, but Herold at last weakened and came out to be manacled. Booth declared that he would never be taken alive, and stood his ground far back in the shed, leaning on a crutch, with a carbine leveled at the door.

Baker Sets Barn on Fire.

Colonel Baker, wishing to expedite matters, lighted a wisp of straw and stuck it through a crack into a pile of hay in a corner inside. In a moment the interior was ablaze and everything within in a full light. The flames showed Booth standing with his gun in his hand, but retreating before the leaping fire. A shot rang out and John Wilkes Booth, the murderer of Abraham Lincoln, sank to the barn floor dying, with a ball in the back of his neck. The shot had been fired by a Union soldier named Boston Corbett.

Booth's body was dragged out of the burning shed and placed on Garrett's porch. His last words, uttered with great effort, were, "Useless, useless," referring to his inability to lift his hands. But before this he had told a soldier, "Tell my mother I died for my country; that I did what I thought was best." Booth received his fatal wound a little after three o'clock in the morning, but lingered in agony till sunrise when he ceased to breathe.

Body Buried in Baltimore.

His body was sewed up in an army blanket, carried in an old wagon to Belle Plain, and put on board a boat to Washington. Reaching the capital, it was taken down the Eastern Branch to the old penitentiary. There, in one of the large cells, the stones were taken up, a grave dug, and the remains, which were inclosed in a pine coffin, interred. They rested there till 1869, when Booth's brother, Edwin, had them removed to Baltimore and buried in the family lot in Greenmount cemetery in that city.

It is impossible to find any marking of Wilkes Booth's grave. There is none. The ivy growing on the base of the tall shaft to Junius Brutus Booth—Wilkes' father—was lifted up, a grave dug close in at the back of the stone, and the bones of the ill-fated man repose there to this day.

Others Also Put to Death.

Booth was not the only one to suffer death for this murder. There were many other conspirators, prominent among them being Mrs. Surratt, who made her home at 604 H street northwest; George A. Atzerodt, David E. Herold and Lewis Payne or Powell for he was known by both names. All four of these persons suffered death by hanging as punishment for their complicity in the crime.

COMING OR GOING.

"The moderate drinker is either coming or going. He is coming back toward the morn of sobriety, or he is going on toward drunkenness."

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

[Estate of David Fulford, deceased.]

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Bedford County to determine the heirs and the respective shares due each from the funds in the hands of W. S. Fletcher, administrator c. t. a. of the estate of David Fulford, deceased, will attend to the duties of his appointment at the Court House in Bedford, on Wednesday the 23 day of February, 1916, at 10 o'clock, a. a., when and where all parties interested are requested to present their claims before the undersigned or be forever after debarred from coming in upon the said fund.

EMORY D. CLAAR,
B. F. MADORE, ESQ., Auditor.
Attorney. Jan. 28, 3t.

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Rates and Courses of Study may be had upon application.

GEO. K. HARBOLD, Prin.
Feb. 4, 2t.

List of Dogs Assessed in

King Township District for year 1916, giving name and address of the owner, sex of each dog and number of the tag therefor.

Levi Roudabush, Osterburg, Pa., Male, No. 3401; George A. Corle, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3402; Wilson Claycomb, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3403; Mrs. Amos Claycomb, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3404; Alexander R. Ickes, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, 2 Males, Nos. 3405, 3406; Edgar Hartle, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3407; William E. Berkheimer, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3408; Harry Barefoot, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3409; Julia A. Ickes, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3410; George F. Smith, Weyant, Pa., Male, No. 3411; Ellie Garn, Weyant, Pa., Male, No. 3412; Irvin Claycomb, Weyant, Pa., Male, No. 3413; Harry and Archie Claycomb, Weyant, Pa., Male, No. 3414; Calvin U. Claycomb, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3417; David King, Weyant, Pa., Male, No. 3418; William Colebaugh, Imler, Pa., R. F. D. 1, 2 Males, Nos. 3419, 3420; Alex Ickes, Imler, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3421; David Weyant, Imler, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male No. 3422; Raymond Feather, Imler, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3423; Cyrus Fickes, Imler, Pa., R. F. D. 1, 2 Males, Nos. 3424, 3425; Fred Corle, Imler, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3426; Wm. H. Gochenour, Imler, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3427; Wilson Imler, Imler, Pa., R. F. D. 1 Male No. 3428; Sidney G. Fickes, Imler, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3429; D. F. Bittinger, Imler, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3430; John F. Bittinger, Imler, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3431; Calvin Claycomb, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, 2 Males, Nos. 3432, 3433; George G. Hall, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3434; Daniel Oster, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3435; Charles R. Kauffman, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3436, Calvin Colebaugh, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3437; Charles Bloom, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3438, David L. Kauffman, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3439; Mary Long Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3440; Joseph Beegle, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3441; Lloyd Exline, Osterburg, Pa., Female, No. 3442; Lloyd Fickes, Imler, Pa., Male No. 3443; V. A. Stufft, Imler, Pa., Male No. 3444; Meade Stufft, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3445; William H. Imler, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3446; Jacob Weyant, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3447; Jos. Warren Imler, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3448; Quitman Bowser, Osterburg, Pa., Male, No. 3449; William Bowser, Osterburg, Pa., Male, No. 3450; James F. Mock, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, 2 Males, Nos. 3451, 3452; Daniel C. Imler, Osterburg, Pa., Male, No. 3453; John Delbaugh, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3454; William B. Weyant, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3455; George F. Kauffman, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3456; James Gordon, Imler, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Female, No. 3457; J. C. Corle, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3458; John A. Crilly, Imler, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male No. 3459; Joseph P. Imler, Osterburg, Pa., Male, No. 3460; A. S. Otto, Osterburg, Pa., Male, No. 3461; H. J. Ickes, Osterburg, Pa., Male, No. 3462; Monza Croyle, Osterburg, Pa., Male, No. 3463; Geo. W. Riddle, Osterburg, Pa., Male, No. 3464; Fred Bowser, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, 2 Males, Nos. 3465, 3466; Harry C. Direly, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3467; Thomas Brown, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3468; Joseph Beard, Weyant, Pa., Male, No. 3469; L. E. Claycomb, Weyant, Pa., 2 Males, Nos. 3470, 3471; Dr. J. W. Lindsey, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3472; L. S. Imler, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3473; Wm. P. Griffith, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3474; Mrs. Daniel Mock, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3475; J. P. Fickes, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3476; William Carn, Osterburg, Pa., Male, No. 3477; Geo. O. Ake, Osterburg, Pa., 2 Males, Nos. 3478, 3479; Henry C. Fetter, Osterburg, Pa., Male and Female, Nos. 3480, 3481; David Brown, Imler, Pa., Male, No. 3482; A. L. Ickes, Osterburg, Pa., Male, No. 3483; Raymond A. Ickes, Osterburg, Pa., Female, No. 3484; William Mock, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male, No. 3485; Calvin R. Wright, Osterburg, Pa., 3 Males, No. 3486, 3487, 3488; William Delbaugh, Osterburg, Pa., 2 Males, Nos. 3489, 3490.

UNLICENSED.

Joseph C. Ake, Weyant, Pa., Male; Harry Allison, Osterburg, Pa., R. F. D. 1, Male; Charles Claycomb, Imler, Pa., Male; Ellie Garn, Weyant, Pa., Female; Wm. H. Imler, Imler, Pa., Male.

LEVI ROUDABUSH, Assessor,
Osterburg, Pa.

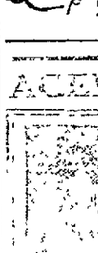
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PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned administrator of Joseph Snowden, late of Woodbury Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased, by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of the said County, will offer at public sale on the premises near the village of Waterside, on **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1916**, at one o'clock, p. m., of the said day, all that valuable mansion property of decedent, situate partly in Woodbury and partly in South Woodbury Township, containing five acres and one hundred and two perches, more or less, and adjoining lands of C. L. Longenecker, W. E. Baker, P. K. Brown and Mary A. Snowden's Heirs, having thereon erected a frame dwelling house, sop, stable and outbuildings.

Terms:—10% of bid in cash on sale; remainder of one-half on delivery of deed, and remaining one-half in one year, with interest.

JOHN SNOWDEN,
D. C. REILEY, Administrator.
Attorney. Jan. 28, 3t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

[Estate of William T. Brown, late of Hyndman Borough, deceased.]

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Bedford County, to ascertain the debts and to make full and complete distribution of the balance in the hands of Jasper Luman, administrator of the estate of William T. Brown, deceased, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at the Court House in Bedford, Pa., on Thursday the 17 day of February next, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties interested are requested to present their claims or be forever after debarred from coming in upon the said fund.

EMORY D. CLAAR,
FRANK E. COLVIN, ESQ. Auditor.
Attorney. Jan. 28, 3t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

[Estate of Joseph F. Kinzey, late of Napier Township, Bedford County, deceased.]

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Bedford County, in the above estate for the purpose of construing the will, ascertaining legatees and making distribution in the hands of Harry Hall, the executor, will sit for the purposes of his appointment at the Court House in Bedford, Pa., on Friday, February 18th, 1916, at 10 o'clock, a. m., when and where all parties interested may attend if they see proper.

D. C. REILEY,
FRANK E. COLVIN, Auditor.
Attorney. Jan. 28, 3t.

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FRIDAY MORNING, FEB. 11, 1916.

SCHELLSBURG

February 8, 1916.

There are prospects of the ice houses all being filled yet if the weather continues as for the past few days.

Rev. C. Gumbert spent several days this week in Altoona attending a special meeting of classis.

C. L. Van Ormer, who is employed in Bedford spent Sunday at home.

Miss Ida Slack is very ill with inflammatory Rheumatism in her ankles.

An Educational meeting will be held in the Reformed Church, Friday evening, February 11, at 7.30 p. m.

Local Institute will be held in the school building on Saturday, February 12, at 2 p. m. An interesting program has been arranged for both meetings and every person who is interested in education should be present.

Prof. Geo. L. Wolfe and his assistant, Miss Hull will open their summer Normal April 24, 1916.

The public school will celebrate Patron's Day on Friday, February 18, at 2 p. m. A program consisting of exercises, recitations, songs, and special features will be rendered. All patrons are cordially invited to visit the school on this occasion, to enjoy the program and inspect the work being done by the schools.

A fine baby girl arrived at the home of John H. Williams last week. Both mother and daughter are doing nicely.

On Monday night Mrs. Margaret Tucker was in some way awakened and seeing a light in one part of the room at the stove pipe got up to investigate it and found there was a fire in her kitchen below and on going down found that the fire board and wood box had been burned and a large hole burned in the floor. She succeeded in getting it out herself without even disturbing the family living in the other part of the house.

OSTERBURG

February 8, 1916.

The Triple S. Club of this place will hold a box social in the Bazaar Hall, formerly the Berkheimer hotel, on Saturday evening, February 12. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

A literary program will be rendered in the new school building, Thursday evening, February 17. All are invited to witness and hear the debate, the subject is "Resolved, That the United States Should Prepare for War".

Mr. Charley Berry of Philipsburg, spent last week in and through here buying horses.

Rev. J. H. Zinn and liveryman, Bowser spent a day in the county capital recently.

Mrs. Fred Oster of Altoona was a guest of Mrs. Dan Oster the first of the week.

V. E. Wilson of Cumberland and H. Hershman of Tyrone were in the Burg on business last week.

Mrs. Ella Ehierd and three children of this place spent over Sunday with friends in Altoona.

WOODBURY

The funeral of F. B. Hetrick, which was held in the Methodist Church, Wednesday afternoon, was very largely attended. Rev. E. L. Eslinger, of Roaring Spring, former pastor of this church, delivered an excellent sermon.

Joseph R. Mock was a business visitor to Hollidaysburg on Friday.

Miss Vina Lecrone returned home Monday evening, after spending several months with relatives at Pittsburg.

J. W. Smith and R. E. Berkheimer both of this place, are visiting friends in Chester county.

On Tuesday evening, a very enjoyable miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Mrs. Elmer Rhodes, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Bassler. The evening was spent in a social way, after which a very dainty luncheon was served. Mrs. Rhodes received many useful gifts.

Chalmer Felton of Altoona spent Wednesday and Thursday at his home. While here he attended the funeral of Mr. Hetrick.

Miss Susie Johnson left on Friday for Altoona, where she expects to spend some time with friends.

Prof. L. H. Hinkle, Supt. of the public schools of Bedford county, made his official visit to our schools on Tuesday and also made a very interesting address at the educational meeting, which was held in the Lutheran Church, Wednesday evening.

Miss Margaret Bayer of Loysburg, spent Wednesday evening, with her friend, Miss Gertrude Stayer.

Lewis Potter has returned to the Woodbury house after spending several weeks at Altoona and Hollidaysburg.

Mrs. A. Good of New Enterprise, spent Thursday at the home of G. B. Hoover and family.

Rudolph Hoover and Mark Bolger spent Tuesday evening with friends in Roaring Spring.

Miss Fannie Weber left on Saturday for Eldarado, where she expects to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Webster Logue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Davis of Altoona are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bolger.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Stayer and daughters, Vergie, and Gertrude, spent Sunday with friends at New Enterprise.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and little son, Herbert of Martinsburg were Sunday guests of the latter parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bolger.

J. H. Keagy is visiting his mother, Mrs. Annie Keagy.

Miss Elizabeth Weber returned to her home at this place on Saturday, after spending some time with friends in Altoona.

Miss Maude Gephart of near New Enterprise spent Wednesday evening, with friends in town.

The regular monthly meeting of the Buds of Promise Class of Trinity Lutheran Sunday School occurred Thursday evening, at the home of Miss Rose Dillon. The business meeting was held the early part of the eve. Plans made for the home talent play to be given in a few weeks was selected. The name of it is "The Spinsters' Convention" and rehearsals will begin this week. After all business had been transacted, a social time was had which consisted of music and games. The hostess served very dainty refreshments. Those present were: Mrs. W. B. Claney, Misses Margaret and Elsie Hoover, Kathryn Bolger, Verna Clouse, Rhoda Bolger, Ethel Burns, Rose Dillon, Gertrude Stayer, and Nellie Felton. The next meeting will be held March 2.

Program for Literary Society to Be Held February 12, 1916.

Music. Recitation, Fay Croft. Dialogue by High School. Essay, Gertrude Stayer. Debate—Resolved that the Presidental term should be extended to six years. Aff., Rose Nicodemus, Galen Sell. Neg., Daniel Bassler, Roy Sell. General Debate. Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, Harris Holsinger. Flag Medley. Duet, Hazel Bolger and Vergie Stayer. Recitation, Kathryn Bolger. Tableau. Music. Adjournment.

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The Choctaw and Chickasaw Payment

Distribution of $300 each to the Choctaw and $200 each to the Chickasaw Indians in Oklahoma will be made under the bill agreed to by the House of Representatives last Saturday. These payments are to be made out of any moneys belonging to these tribes of Indians in the United States Treasury or deposited in any bank or held by any officials under the Secretary of the Interior.

The enrolled members of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Tribes of Indians of Oklahoma entitled under existing law to shares in the funds of the tribes, or their lawful heirs, will be entitled to participate in the payments, which will be made under rules and regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior.

Whereby reason of their degree of Indian blood in their veins the Indians belong to the restricted class the Secretary is authorized to withhold payment and use the fund for the benefit of such restricted Indians. The money paid to the Indians is to be exempt from any lien for attorney's fees or other debt contracted prior to the passage of the act.

The provisions for these payments is contained in the bill for the expenses of the Indian Bureau and for fulfilling treaty stipulations with various Indian tribes. The House declined to provide that the distribution should not be made until the Court of Claims had passed on the claim of the Mississippi Choctaws to a part of the tribal funds.

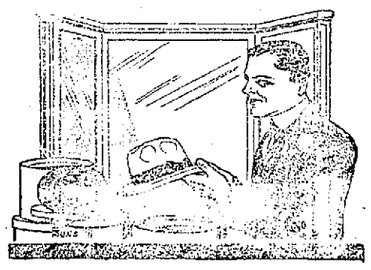
Disapproval of the proposed appropriation of $275,000 to aid the common schools in the Cherokee, Creek, Choctaw, Chickasaw, Seminole and Osage Nations in Oklahoma was manifested. Representative Stephens, of Nebraska, who was in charge of the bill, tried unsuccessfully to reduce the $152,000 appropriation for the Indian School at Carlisle, Pa.

The 640 Acre Bill.

The 640 acre bill, providing for the entry of that number of acres of "stock-raising lands," has passed the House of Representatives, and is now before the Senate. The land subject to such entry must be chiefly valuable for grazing and raising of forage crops; and must not contain merchantable timber, nor be susceptible of irrigation from any known source of water supply. The thought lying at the foundation of this legislation is that it will reasonably require 640 acres of this kind of land to support a family.

Persons who have already entered land of this character may acquire additional acreage within 20 miles. The purchase of contiguous grazing land may be made at $1.25 per acre by those who have title to less than 640 acres under the homestead laws of the United States. The Secretary of the Interior must, however, reserve to the United States all the coal and other minerals in the lands entered under this law. Provision is made for the operation of coal and other mines upon payment of compensation to the entryman.

Lands containing water holes or other bodies of water needed or used by the public for watering purposes cannot be acquired under this law, but such water rights must be kept and held open to the public use.



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HELIXVILLE

February 7, 1916.

Traffic during the past week has been some what handicapped. The roads some places are almost impassable.

The many friends of James Ellenberger, formerly of this place, but now of Boswell, Pa., were made to feel sad when they heard of his painful accident while working in the sand quarry. The machinery which does the grinding having failed to work he proceeded to investigate the trouble. He went underneath the machine, when part of the same fell on his left leg crushing the same between the knee and ankle. Mr. Ellenberger is now in the hospital in Johnstown. We hope for his speedy recovery.

To-day, "Monday," we have one of the old fashioned "Snow Blizzards".

Rev. J. Winwood preached in the U. B. Church last Sunday.

D. S. Findley and family took dinner with Grant Manges and family last Sunday.

Jacob Bisel, who broke his leg about three months ago, is still confined to his bed.

Mr. Dewey Bisel of Johnstown spent Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Ellen Dull and Miss Olive Dibert were in Helixville last Saturday on business.

Amberg Miller, wife and son, Sewell, of Johnstown spent Sunday with B. O. Miller and family.

The sick of our vicinity are all better at this writing.

Presbyterian Churches

Services on nextSunday as follows: Schellsburg, Sunday School 9.30 a. m. Services 10.30 a. m. Mann's Choice, Services 2.30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

Friend's Cove Lutheran Charge

A. B. Miller, Pastor.

Preach at St. James, 10 a. m. Bald Hill, 7 p. m.

BY JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY

A PEACEFUL life:—toil, duty, rest—
All his desire:—
To read the books he liked the best
Beside the cabin fire—
God's word and man's;—to peer sometimes
Above the page, in smouldering gleams,
And catch, like far heroic rhymes,
The onmarch of his dreams.

A peaceful life:—to hear the low
Of pastured herds.
Or woodman's ax that, blow on blow,
Fell sweet as rhythmic words.
And yet there stirred within his breast
A fateful pulse that, like a roll
Of drums, made high above his rest
A tumult in his soul.

A peaceful life!—They haled him even
As One was haled
Whose open palms were nailed toward Heaven
When prayers nor aught availed.
And, lo, he paid the selfsame price
To lull a nation's awful strife
And will us, through the sacrifice
Of self, his peaceful life.

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An Old Valentine

by

Margaret E. Sangster Jr.

I WANDERED to an attic where lacy cobwebs swayed,
Where sunbeams, dusty golden, were dancing as they strayed;
And as I crossed the threshold with footsteps soft and slow,
I felt the hidden presence of ghosts of long ago.

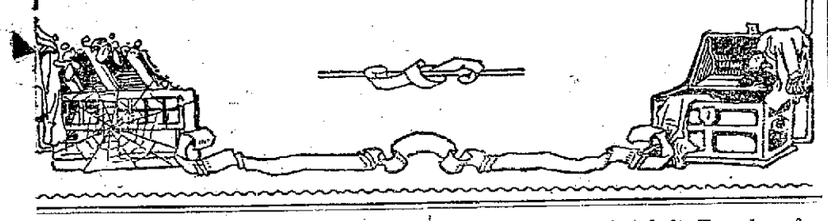
I saw a wooden chest there with rusty lock and key,
And when I knelt before it my dreaming eyes could see
Initials twined together and carving almost hid
By scratches, deeply graven upon the polished lid.

I knelt beside it, silent, and opened it with care;
I felt as if some girl-soul were standing by me there;
For dainty garments whispered, and perfumed laces sung
Of morning and of springtime, when all the world was young.

I saw a folded paper, all yellow with the years.
Perhaps the print of kisses, perhaps the mark of tears
Had touched it once—for, fastened with bow of faded blue,
It whispered through the ages a message, "I love you!"

I laid it gently from me and closed the chest with care,
And breathing through the stillness I heard behind me there
A murmur—half a love word, and half, perhaps a sigh—
The phantom of a heart-beat of many years gone by.

—From the Christian Herald.



LAFAYETTEVILLE

Mrs. Burger Ritchey returned to her home near Baker's Summit last Sunday, after being employed at D. R. Settlemeyer's a week.

Mrs. Hattie Ebersole is spending a few days with her friend, Mrs. J. W. Helsel.

D. R. Settlemeyer accompanied by Mrs. Ross Barclay of Roaring Spring attended the funeral of the formers father-in-law, Sansom Mearkle on Clear Ridge last Wednesday. Mrs. Settlemeyer was unable to go on account of illness and Mrs. Barclay was taken ill at that place after arriving there Tuesday night and had to remain about a week.

Edward Growden made a business trip to Bedford last week.

Miss Quentine Klotz spent a short time with her friend, Grace Settlemeyer, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stiffler and daughters, Mary, Florence and Eva, and son, Fred, were guests Sunday with Mrs. Stiffler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Mauk.

Miss Ada Claar, of Woodbury is employed at D. R. Settlemeyer's this week.

Vernon Bishop and Mrs. Hattie Ebersole made a business call at Squire Kagarise's one night last week.

Miss Helen Hainsey, who is employed in Altoona is spending a few days with home folks.

Mrs. D. R. Settlemeyer, who was confined to her bed for a week or so is able to be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Frederick and son, were pleasant visitors at J. W. Helsels last Tuesday evening.

CLEARVILLE

February 8, 1916.

Hugh R. Collins and Marshall Barkman are hauling lumber to Everett from the George Grubb sawmill, south of Clearville.

J. S. Barney has been busy hauling pulp wood to Everett this winter.

Lyman and Albert Grove and John and Charles Diehl made a business trip to Everett on Thursday.

Michael Means was a Sunday visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cobler of Everett, route 6.

Silas Fletcher, wife and son, Roy and Mrs. Eli Weimer of Everett route 3, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Leasure of this place on Friday.

Wilmer Conlon, son, Lloyd and Jesse Ward were Clearville visitors on Saturday.

Mrs. A. H. Wilson and son, Elmer, of Everett route 3, made a business trip to our village on Monday.

David Barkman made a trip to Everett in a sled on Saturday but returned on wheels. It appears that he and his load were too much for the sled and it collasped so that he was obliged to borrow a wagon to come home.

CUMBERLAND VALLEY

February 8, 1916.

Rev. Schluttig, the Lutheran minister delivered a very touching sermon from Chronicles, 16th chapter, 7th verse on Sunday morning.

Mr. Rumsey Casteel of this place returned home Saturday after being absent for several days, being at Johnstown on business.

Alton Diehl a school teacher of this township, was called suddenly Monday to the bedside of his father, who passed away shortly after his arrival.

Ladies Aid of the M. P. Church met at the home of Mrs. Frank Mickey, on last Tuesday night, February 1.

Mrs. Sue Casteel spent last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hite sewing.

The sick of this place are all reported better at this writing with the exception of Mrs. W. G. Bortz.

Mr. Howard Slemmer of Cumberland returned Monday after spending several days with his bride at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Nave.

Mr. A. L. Hafer left Tuesday for Akron, Ohio.

On February the 19, the teachers of this township will hold their local institute. A special program is being prepared. Superintendent Hinkle and assistant Metzger are expected to be present. All are cordially invited to attend.

On Saturday evening, February 5, a few friends assembled at the home of T. C. Zembower's in Centreville and gave him a little surprise. All reported a very nice time. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Zembower, Dr. and Mrs. Stoner, Mr. and Mrs. Rumsey Casteel, Mr. and Mrs. Reese Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nave, Mrs. Ethel Deremer, and Mrs. Emma Hite. Brown Eyes.

ROUND KNOB

Work on the Run is very good at present. The mines are running full time and part of the night shift.

Samuel Meck was taken to the hospital for treatment recently.

Mrs. Charley Mort who has been on the sick list is some better at this time.

Wade H. Figard was in Bedford transacting business Friday and Saturday of last week.

Miss Vera Barton, who teaches the school at Finleyville and who has been away on a visit has returned home again. Miss Edna Winter of Sandy Run taught during the absence of Miss Barton. Miss Barton is a fine teacher and deserves a good school.

Mrs. Wade H. Figard and son, David visited Mrs. Figard's sister, Mrs. John Mosby at Broad Top city on Sunday.

Those who were visitors at the home of Wade H. Figard on Sunday were: Blair Mort, wife and children, Ethel, Chester and Alfred, Reuben Thomas, C. C. Foster and Ms. Edward Chamberlain and children, Marshall and Monica.

Edward Chamberlain visited at the home of his brother, Philip Chamberlain Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Mellott, who has been suffering with La Grippe is improving.

J. B. Walter and Sidney Roarbaugh were in McConnellsburg on Monday of last week transacting business.

Sylvester Black and Harry Edwards were in Bedford on Saturday transacting business.

Elmer Connor visited at the home of William Tenley Saturday evening.

Mrs. Harry Thomas, who has been on the sick list for sometime is not improving much.

Sunday school at Round Knob was very well attended on Sunday.

Reuben Thomas, who has been housed up with Grippe is able to be about again. Daisy.

Teachers Institute.

The teachers of Cumberland Valley Township, will hold their Local Institute, Saturday, February 19, at Centreville. The following program will be rendered: Singing. Devotional Exercise, Conducted by Ross Diehl. Sentimental Roll Call. Singing. Reading of Gazette Times, by Ida B. Hite. Topic, Games for the playground, to be discussed by Alton Diehl, Carl Oster and Ethel Rose. Singing. Recitation, by Blanch Rush. Sidespliter Quartette. Address by Supt. L. H. Hinkle and Assistant H. D. Metzger. Singing. Debate, preparedness, Aff. Sherman Nave and Guy Snowden. Neg., Ross Diehl and Clyde Rose. Talk by Directors. Singing. Recitation by Lenore Doyle. Singing.

Clyde Rose,
Ida Hite,
Alton Diehl,
Committee.
Nan O. Hite, Secretary.

The Mann's Choice Literary Society will give an entertainment in the School Auditorium, Saturday evening, February 12. Among the many features of the program will be an address by Mr. H. D. Metzger, Assistant County Superintendent.

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At 7 o'clock this (Friday) evening, February 11, the Loyal Temperance Legion will entertain the Boy Scouts in the lodge room, Brode building holding an "L"-"Y" Social. A useful and All young people between the ages of eight and eighteen are cordially invited to join in this evening of innocent amusement.

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SYNOPSIS.

Dudley Larnigan, district attorney, because of his fight on the vice and liquor trusts, is killed by an agent of a secret society, the committee of fifteen. The fight is continued by his son, Bruce, who is elected district attorney. Several efforts to frame up the intrepid young district attorney fail. When Larnigan saves the children of one of the conspirators this man agrees to expose the trust and is is murdered. Dorothy Maxwell, whose father is head of the insurance trust, over the dictaphone hears of a plot to kill Larnigan, with whom she is in love. She warns him, he escapes, and two more of the conspirators are killed. When Bruce Larnigan goes to Chicago to fight the grain trust he is assaulted and thrown overboard. He is rescued by his brother Tom, who takes up the fight. Dodson, head of the grain trust fearing exposure kills himself. Tom Larnigan opens a fight on the textile trust. Avres, the head of the trust, in an effort to kill Tom, kills his own son. Dorothy, gagged and bound, is taken by the conspirators to a roadhouse. Tom, Ben Travers and Stevens go after the railroad monopol. An attempt is made to wreck the special train on which Tom and Ben travel. Dorothy escapes from the conspirators and with Kitty Rockford, gets on the special. When Kitty is saved by Tom and Ben the railroad president declares he'll help expose the grafters.

SEVENTH EPISODE

America Saved From War

By Mrs. WILSON WOODROW

Author of "The Black Pearl," "Sally Salt" and "The Silver Butterfly"

BRUCE LARNIGAN, slowly recovering from the effects of the adventure on the wheat schooner that had so nearly cost him his life, began to take a more active interest in the war of extermination against "The Fifteen," the Graft Syndicate that had murdered his father. During his illness his brother Tom, who had been his rescuer, had pursued the work Bruce had sworn to finish, but Tom, willing as he was, was limited in his power.

"As district attorney here Tom," he said as he lay in bed, "I was hampered by the limits of my authority. My jurisdiction didn't go beyond my own county, you see. At the same time I hated to give up my official position, and I would never have done it if I hadn't had something in mind that would take its place."

"What was that?" asked Tom.

"An authority that has no limits—that gives me equally great powers in New York and Seattle, Florida and Dakota! The authority of a state, even, is limited—the authority of the Federal government is not!"

"Oh!" said Tom, startled. "You'd been fussing with Washington?"

"Decidedly so! It was all arranged and would have gone through long ago if I hadn't been hurt. I was to be made a special investigator or examiner, with the secret service fund and the secret service itself at my disposal. You see, I had gone into the whole business very fully with the President and he agreed with me that the criminal operations of these great trusts constituted a terrible menace to the country. So I have arranged for you to receive the appointment that would have gone to me. You will have the official position [illegible] task is to see what is being done by J. Brooks Carney."

"The head of the [illegible] trust?"

"Exactly. We have information [illegible] convinced that these men intend to drag this country into a European war. You can imagine what that would mean to his [illegible] orders of [illegible] importance.

"I'll do my best to scuttle him, Bruce! Now that I've got you within reach, I want to hold conversation with you when it's necessary to get your advice. I'm much less afraid of the rotten crew than I was!"

Bruce and Tom had hoped to keep Tom's appointment to the Federal service a secret, but they had known, too, that the Graft Syndicate was so well served by spies that there was little chance of success in this. And so it proved, for Carney himself in person immediately affected, knew of the facts almost as soon as Tom himself. He went at once to Stanford Stone, the real head of the Fifteen—although neither Bruce nor Tom was aware of Stone's connection with the enemy.

"Here's bad news!" said Carney, when he had told Stone. "It seems to me it's more imperative than ever that we should get rid of this man Larnigan. He was bad enough before—you can guess how dangerous he will be with the whole power of the Federal [illegible] ment behind him!"

[illegible]" said Stone, frowning. "And [illegible]ld be kept out of the way especially just now—since it would be a [illegible] thing if our present plan [illegible]ealed! That would be a blow [illegible] we'd find it almost impos[illegible]."

"You mean our plan to blow up the interned warship?"

"Exactly! You know, Carney, how important it is that we should get into this war."

"And war means orders that would bring us a prosperity such as the world has never seen," said Carney. "There's only one thing—I don't trust this man Bean."

"We'll have Dunn watch him. Dunn has fallen down pretty badly against the Larnigan brothers, but I have found him useful enough in the past."

The conspiracy was widespread. Roger Maxwell, the head of the insurance trust and the father of Dorothy Maxwell, the girl whom both Bruce Larnigan and Stanford Stone loved, was concerned in it—not so much because he was likely to be of use as because Stone in order to increase his hold on Dorothy saw to it that Maxwell should be involved in every disgraceful undertaking of the syndicate. And it chanced that Dorothy overheard part of the talk of the plan for the destruction of the warship. With Dorothy at the time as her guest was Kitty Rockford, the daughter of the railway magnate, whom Tom and his friend, Ben Travers, had won from his allegiance to Stone.

"Kitty," said Dorothy, "we've got to interfere here. Your friend, Tom Larnigan, is in danger"—

"Oh!" said Kitty. "Do you really think there's any danger?"

"I do. And I've an idea as to how we can make sure too. I told you about my experience with Dunn? He has an office, you know. I think I can contrive a note that will get you work there as a stenographer. If you find anything out write a note and drop it from the window. I will be watching below and will get it. Are you game?"

"Yes. I'm a good enough stenographer to pass muster. I took a course once just for fun."

There had proved to be no difficulty about getting Kitty into Dunn's office. And at last Kitty heard something that sounded important. By listening in she discovered that a certain telephone call for Dunn was from Stanford Stone, and she managed to overhear Dunn's end of the conversation, though it proved impossible to hear what Stone said.

"The best chance is 63 Pell street—hop joint," was what Dunn said.

Kitty could not guess the meaning of this. But she wrote down what she had heard and dropped the note to Dorothy. Dorothy was also mystified but she decided to take a chance and sent an unsigned note to Tom advising him to see what there was to be discovered at the hop joint at the address given by Dunn.



"The best place is 63 Pell street—hop joint," Dunn said.

What Dunn had actually told Stone was the address of the place where Bill Bean, the eccentric and half mad inventor, was usually to be found. It was a hang out of his, it was explained.

Stone and Carney meanwhile had seen Bean and concluded certain arrangements with him. He had invented a wireless transmitter of extraordinary power so diminutive that it was capable of being carried in a waistcoat pocket.

"It looks good to me," said Stone, when Bean at Carney's request had explained the principle of his invention. "I think it's safe to try it out tonight, Carney."

"You understand?" asked Carney. "We want you to give us a convincing demonstration. If it is satisfactory we stand prepared to pay you $200,000 in yearly installments of $50,000 for the rights to your invention."

"I'd do anything for that," said the Beast.

"Then give me two of your prepared [illegible]," said Carney, "and tour [illegible] 8 o'clock to a certain dock. I [illegible] will call down the location for you—and [illegible] your current to work."

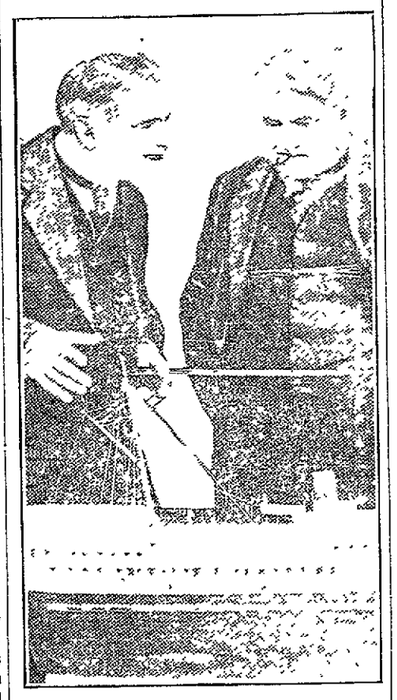
"What dock?" asked Bean. "I could do it from here."

"Because you are to wait for a signal, something might go wrong with our plans. From the dock you will see a small boat. Three flashes of an electric torch will tell you to go ahead."

"All right," said Bean.

Carney believed in doing things himself, he took no chances with helpers who might fail him. Therefore he prepared two packages of explosives with a good deal of care, attaching to their fulminating caps by means of a fine wire the magnets Bean had given him. One of these packages he left with Mrs. Larnigan, Bruce's mother. He understood that Tom was to return home a little before 8 o'clock and asked her to give him the package as soon as he returned. This, entirely unsuspicious, she promised to do. The other package Carney meant to fasten to the stern of the interned warship as she lay at her anchorage.

Bean had obtained some money in advance upon his promise neither to drink nor to visit a hop joint until he had completed his work. But he could not resist the temptation, and by the



"You mean our plan to blow up the interned warship?"

merest chance he went to his favorite resort, the one to which Tom had been advised to go.

Once in the joint, Bean grew boastful and displayed his money. This was too much for the other habitues of the place, and in a moment they fell upon him, meaning to rob him and if necessary kill him. It was in the midst of this struggle that Tom appeared. All general principles he went to Bean's aid, and it proved easy for him to beat off the drug weakened wretches who were attacking Bean.

Filled with gratitude, Bean left the place with Tom. And to show his gratitude Bean took Tom home with him and showed him his invention.

"I'll make you my assistant," he declared grandiloquently, and Tom laughing, accepted the offer.

"We've got a big job on tonight," said Bean importantly. "You stick by me. Come on. It's time we were starting."

On the way, despite Tom's protests and [illegible] for office [illegible] Bean [illegible] on [illegible] stops at [illegible] a few more [illegible] each [illegible] by messenger [illegible] to Stanford Stone. [illegible] of this would have any [illegible] had he so, to read the note which ran:

"I'm on my way to the dock. No chance of my getting drunk. I've hired a new assistant to look after me, a burly fellow called Tom Larnigan."

Stone was almost frantic when he read this note. Carney was aboard on his way to do his part of the work. There was no way of getting in touch with him. And so he got Dunn on the telephone, urging him excitedly to send men to kill Tom Larnigan at the dock where he was to be with Bean.

"Get Tom Larnigan!" he cried. "Have him killed. Do whatever is necessary. Take any risk—but get him."

Meanwhile Tom and Bean had reached the dock and now Tom plied Bean with questions, judging that Bean would be willing in his drunken state to tell the truth. This proved to be the case, and Tom filled with horror, learned of the dreadful plot.

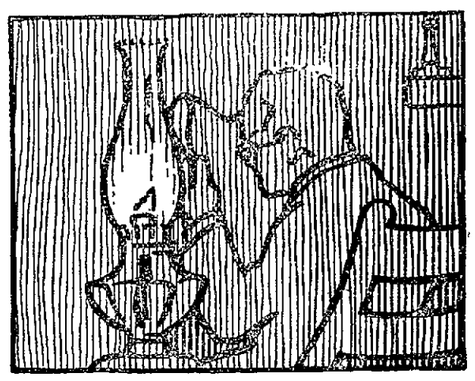
Tom thought fast. And he made a sudden lunge for Bean. In the struggle, with Bean resisting, the crazy inventor's hands were forced together. And at once out in the river there was a blinding flash—a terrific explosion. Carney in his boat carrying the explosives, had been blown to pieces. The death he had planned for others had come to him.

And just then, too, the men from Dunn's office appeared, attacked Tom and flung him into the water. But Dorothy Maxwell had arrived too, having been warned by Kitty Rockford, and she sprang over to his rescue, while Ben Travers held off the miscreants who would have tried to stop her.

So the situation was saved, and the country was spared from the war into which Stone and Carney would have plunged it.

[Episode No. 8 Next Week.]

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WASHINGTON LETTER

Interesting Notes From Our Correspondent at National Capital.

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In the lobbies and cloakrooms of the Capitol, Democratic leaders have generally applauded the vigor and aggressiveness of President Wilson's speeches delivered on his tour of the country. They declared that this attitude of the President was necessary to win the fight for preparedness in lining up Congress and the country, and offsetting the charges that his foreign policies have been weak, thus stiffening the political supporters of the President, many of whom have quietly criticised his course in Mexico and Europe.

The talk of a crisis between the United States and Germany over the Lusitania controversy is said to be all conjecture. But the fact remains the refusal of the United States to arbitrate is based on the ground that the "vital interests and national honor" of the United States being involved, the matter is one which cannot be submitted to arbitration. Unless Germany yields this completely shuts off any hope of a settlement of the controversy through the machinery of international arbitration.

Informal advices to the State Department and unfriendly foreign press comment have prepared officials for rejection of Secretary Lansing's proposal of a modus vivendi to bind entente allies to disarm merchantmen upon promise of the central powers to make submarine operations conform to international law.

No information was obtained here as to the source of the suggestion that is being quitely passed to Americans in England that now is the time to leave because the breaking off of diplomatic relations between the United States and Germany might result in another great submarine campaign by Teutonic U-boats that will make insignificant the first attacks of last spring.

One of the most important branches of national preparedness is provided for in a bill just introduced by Chairman Adamson, of the committee on merchant marine and fisheries. The bill, if enacted will place the American flag over new and powerful steamships, suitable for naval purposes in time of war and available for commercial purposes in time of peace. A shipping board is to be created which will have control of rates in water-borne interstate and foreign commerce—a vital need in view of the extortionate ocean freight rates imposed by foreign shipping monopolies.

The new government ship purchase bill, which is now before the House, will probably be passed by that body, but despite changes made to satisfy Democratic senators, strong opposition is anticipated in the Senate. Leaders, however, express confidence that even if Democrats who helped vote down the measure a year ago still oppose it, passage would be assured by the support of progressive republicans and three new Democratic members.

The opponents of Louis D. Brandeis, nominated to be associate justice of the Supreme Court reluctantly admit that he will probably be confirmed. A prominent republican member of the Senate expressed himself as "inexpressibly shocked" over the appointment, saying that the dimensions of the fight against confirmation would depend largely upon what the American Bar Association has to say.

Several hundred persons representing not only the sunny South, but the North, East, and West combined to make the "Dixie ball of the Southern Relief Society a brilliant story from beginning to end. Officialdom lent its presence in the person of the Vice President, the wives of the cabinet officers, Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the President, and many representatives of both the Senate and House circles.

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LESSON FOR FEBRUARY 13

HUMBLED AND EXALTED.

LESSON TEXT—Phil. 2:1-11.

GOLDEN TEXT—For ye know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, that ye through his poverty might become rich.—II Cor. 8:9.

The key word of the first chapter of Philippians is "confidence" (see vv. 6, 14, 25). Paul has confidence in the church at Philippi on account of their spiritual condition (vv. 1, 2), which resulted in fellowship (vv. 3-8) and fruitfulness (vv. 9-13). This confidence inspires boldness and is a source of joy and blessing Paul's creed is also set forth in chapter 1:5-11. This confidence is in the face of the conflict and suffering which was before them (see 1:27-30).

I. Be of the Same Mind, vv. 1-4. The key word of this chapter is the word "comfort" (vv. 1, 19). The first section might be entitled "The Comfort of Love" (vv. 1-18) and the second section "The Comfort of Knowledge" (vv. 19-30). If there was to be opposition from without certainly the Christians ought to stand together. Paul is urging them to unity in order that it might comfort and console him. He had always rejoiced in this church (1:4), but he desires them to "fill full his joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being of one accord, of one mind." Paul's comfort of love in the disciples he anticipated would be due to their state of mind, which depended upon (a) unity (vv. 1,2); (b) humility (v. 3); (c) that they might "mind the things of others" (v. 4). Nothing would so comfort and console, or so gladden the heart of Paul as such unity. It was even so with the heart of our Lord (see John 17:21). The words "be of the same mind" do not refer merely to a unity of opinion, but rather to a unity of purpose and affection, literally "being souled together."

II. Let This Mind . . . Which Was Also in Christ Jesus, vv. 5-8. The second comfort of love was due, not to a unity of mind, but to the standing which Paul and this church had in Christ, due to his (Christ's) standing in God. The words of this passage are among the most wonderful to be found anywhere in the Bible. They contain a statement of the most profound truth and mystery that we have regarding the person of our Lord Jesus Christ. No plummet has sounded their depth, nor rod scaled their height, nor tape measured their breadth. His eternal deity—and on the other hand his amazing self-humiliation—yet these facts and truths are brought before us to enforce the homeliest duties of every day life. Equal to God (John 10:30) yet he gave up his divine glory and incarnated himself in the historical Jesus, was anointed of God, died on a Roman cross, buried in Joseph's tomb, yet rose again and is alive today as much as when he walked o'er Galilee's hills. The mind that was in Jesus was a purpose to choose the lowest depth of humiliation rather than a full equality with God, either choice of which he might have made; but he chose the former—creation's most sublime illustration of self-sacrifice—and this is the mind we should have. The word "robbery" implies a thing to be seized hold of. Instead of seizing hold of equality with God, Jesus let go and seized hold of the death on the cross, and thus made himself of no reputation, literally emptied himself. The context shows of what he emptied himself: (a) his divine form; (b) his divine glory. This latter is shown by his birth in a stable and his death upon a cross, thereby being under the curse of God (Gal. 3:13) But this was an act of obedience to God (v. 8). The father bade him to do it. The sacrifice of Christ had its original source in the will of God—his love towards us (John 3:16, Rom. 5:8). There are three thoughts in this passage: (a) the incarnation; (b) the passion; (c) the exaltation. Keep this in mind and remember Paul's circumstances in prison when he wrote this letter.

III. God Also Hath Exalted Him, vv. 9-11. The result of this comfort of love, due to a state of mind on the part of the disciples and their having the mind of Christ, was first the exaltation of Christ (v. 9), and the giving unto him of "the" name, not "a" name, that is above all other names; and secondly, worship on the part of all of God's creation, every knee bowed in submission; and third, confession (v. 11). Jesus, who humbled himself to the lowest place, God has exalted to the highest place. Humiliation of self is the path to exaltation by God.

The name "Jesus" is above every name, because Jesus has been exalted above every man.

The worship mentioned here is not merely that we worship through him, though that is true (John 14:6).

The phrase "every knee shall bow" is a clear expression of the oneness of Jehovah and Jesus.

Notice that those that bow are in heaven, in earth and in Hades (Rev. 5:3).

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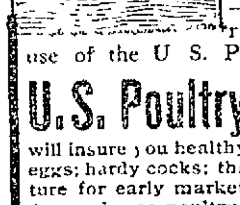
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I am preparing to run 500 laying hens this fall. I can see money in it with the aid of U. S. Poultry Tonic.
A. H. Hunter.

Bakersville, Pa.
I have been feeding U. S. Poultry Food Tonic for the past three weeks and now get twice as many eggs as I did before I fed it. I also feed U. S. Stock Food Tonic with good results.
J. W. Barkley.

Osterburg, Pa.
Sirs—Find check for bill. Your Food has been doing wonderful work. We are getting praises every day. I had one man drive ten miles to my store to get the Food.
Geo. F. Matchley.

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Jos. A. McCampbell.

Shelbyville, Ind., R. F. D. 9
I received your Animal Regulator and find it is just what I want to expel worms. Will enclose check.
Chas. B. McDonnald.

Steckman

Feb. 2, 1916.—D. F. Means of Everett was seen in our valley last Wednesday.

John Price of Everett Rt. 3, and D. C. Blankley were callers at the home of B. F. Koontz Sunday.

Mrs. Wayne Thomas and daughter, Miss Lydia visited Mrs. Thomas' daughter, Mrs. W. T. Grove last Wednesday.

Mrs. D. G. Burket and daughter, Fay and John Burket spent from Saturday until Monday visiting relatives in Bedford.

Mrs. John Conner and daughter, Lyda spent Saturday and Sunday in Everett, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Redinger.

Mrs. Wayne Thomas and daughter, Miss Lydia and grand-daughter, Lyda spent Friday at David Weimer's of Everett, Rt 3.

Mrs. G. W. Johnson returned to her home Monday after spending sometime with her brother and family at McKees Rocks. Her brother died while she was there.

Mrs. Wayne Thomas and grand-daughter, Lyda were callers at J. A. Means Monday.

Mt. Zion.

Jan. 31, 1916.—It is with feelings of regret we chronicle the death of our beloved friend and sister, Mrs. Isaiah Perrin, who departed this life Jan. 24, aged 64 years, 10 months and 7 days. Her death was due to a complication of diseases. She was a member of the Christian Church and bore her sufferings in Christian attitude. She leaves to mourn their loss a husband, three daughters and four sons, namely: Mc Perrin, Thomas Perrin of Chaneysville, Charley and Owen of near Elbinsville; Mrs. William Bowman, Mrs. Scott Fisher, of Morrison's Cove, and Mrs. Kate Kennard of Cumberland. The remains were laid to rest in the Mt. Zion cemetery. Rev. John Bennett officiating.

Mr. James Northcraft of near Pratt, Md., was buried on Sunday at the cemetery near his late residence.

A large number of people around here are suffering with the Grippe.

Miss Ada Foster of Barnes Gap is ... a week with relatives near

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...easure and son, Mar... ...siness trip to Bedford on Friday.

Miss Dolsie M. Lashley, teacher of Prosperity school, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home.

Mr. Alvah Leasure of Barnes Gap, returned home Sunday evening. He is cutting timber for Alex Means.

Mrs. Harriet Tewell spent Thursday night with Mrs. Agnes Means, and called on her two sons, Fred and Thomas of Chaneysville the latter part of the week.

Miss Jessa Means was unable to have school this week on account of being attacked by La Grippe.

Mrs. Allie Stone and son, John and daughter, Adra of Huntingdon have spent the past week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Robinette.

George the youngest son of Lawnie Iames is suffering from an attack of rheumatism.

The local institute, which was to have been held at Mt. Zion was postponed until Saturday, February 5.

Bill.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Local Institute.

The fifth regular session of the Harrison township Teachers', will be held at Buffalo Mills, Pa., Friday, February 11, 1916, at 7.30 p. m.

The following program will be rendered.

1. Devotional Exercises.
2. Music.
3. Reading of the Minutes.
4. Miscellaneous Business.
5. School Discipline, Rudy Crissey.
6. A Reading, Miss Ethel Dibert.
7. Spelling in the Primary Grades, Miss Violet Richard.
8. Violin Duet, Harold Dollard and Lyndon Gump.
9. Music in the Rural School, Miss Pearl Shoemaker.
10. Roll Call and Quotations.
11. Collection.
12. Music.
13. Adjournment.

Lelia Whetstone,
Edna Beckley,
Committee.

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Buffalo Mills.

Feb. 1, 1916.—Miss Fannie Morgart and little sister of RoaringSpring are visiting at the home of R. A. Long.

Misses Margaret Hillegass and Laura Shoemaker spent Saturday and Sunday with their friend, Miss Vivian Beltz of Ellerslie.

Mrs. C. H. Rush returned to her ... in Hyndman after a few days visit with her daughters, Mrs. Geo. Zembower and Mrs. Harry Brown.

Mr. Earl Hillegass of Bedford spent a few hours with home folks on Saturday.

Quite a gloom was cast over the community Sunday morning, when it was learned that James, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Ritchey, was dead of diphtheria. Death came early Saturday night, but on account of the family being quarantined, no alarm was made until Sunday morning. Interment was made in the Cove cemetery, Sunday afternoon. The family has the sincere sympathy of their neighbors, as this is the second death from the same family in less than two weeks.

Those on the sick list are Mrs. H. Elder, Mae Brown, Mrs. Wm. Smith and Harry Brown.

Wednesday being Mrs Harry Stouffer's birthday, her neighbors arranged a surprise for her. All met at the home of Mrs. A. W. Hillegass, then at the Stouffer residence, where all were made quite welcome, Mrs. Harry Cook made a presentation speech when she presented Mrs. Stouffer with a very useful gift from the crowd. Those present were: Mrs. G. A. Miller, Mrs. W. H. Mowry, Mrs. A. W. Hillegass, Mrs. Geo. Zembower, Mrs. Harry Cook, Mrs. G. A. Hillegass, Mrs. Harry Brown, Mrs. Harry Elder, Mrs. W. B. Zembower, Mrs. Sam Hyde and Mrs. Sarah Ling. Refreshments were served and at a late hour all departed wishing Mrs. Stouffer many more happy birthdays

Mr. Wm. Zembower was a business visitor at Hyndman Thursday.

The monthly social and business meeting of the Epworth League, was held at the home of Mrs. H. J. Brown

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DRY PRESS BANQUET.

The Missouri Press association climbed on the water-wagon at a banquet during its annual meeting in St Joseph. No intoxicants were served Each one of the newly elected officer is the editor of a dry newspaper and is himself an exponent of national constitutional prohibition.

Mrs Barbara A. Compher.

Mrs. Barbara (Mills) Compher, died at her home in Fairmont, Nebraska, on Tuesday, January 18, 1916, aged 86 years, 9 months and 10 days. Mrs. Compher was born in Bedford County, 1829. She was married to Alexander Compher 1849. In 1861, he recruited a company of volunteers for the civil war and was detailed as captain of company D of the 101st Pennsylvania and served throughout the war. After the war they moved to Nebraska and lived there about eight years when they moved to Colorado and took up a homestead, where the father died in 1902. She was a faithful member of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

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For Sale—Good House and full lot and outbuildings. Want to sell at once. Address or call on **Arthur Huzzard,** Bedford, Pa. Feb. 11, tf.

For Sale—Black Mare, Brown Horse, 6 years old; Black Horse coming 3 years old. **J. E. Cook,** Wolfsburg. Jan. 28, 3t.

Wanted—To correspond with owners of saw mills, who are willing to put in a mill and cut from 50,000 to 100,000 ft. of lumber. Address, **Colonial Iron Co.,** Riddlesburg, Pa. Feb. 11 tf.

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For Sale—Farm, 150 acres, 50 acres of timber, 2-story frame house, bank barn and good outbuildings; running water. Located in Mann's Choice Borough. Apply to **R. W. Cuppett,** Mann's Choice, or **J. P. Cuppett,** Bedford, Pa. Jan. 28, tf.

For Sale—Store room and dwelling wareroom attached, stable and outbuildings, room 62x30. **Clarence M. Cuppett,** Mann's Choice, Pa. Dec. 10, tf.

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28 May, tf.

Announcement—C. C. Mervine announces that he is now the sole owner of the Mervine Undertaking and Cabinet Making business, and that the business will be conducted as usual in the building on West Pitt Street, which it has occupied in years past. Dec. 3. tf.

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House and lot for sale—in the Borough of Hyndman on the east side of Washington Street fronting 50 feet running west to an alley 150 feet, with a 2-story frame house with six rooms, water and electric light in the house, a good sewer in front of house and small cellar under the L. A good title guarantee Call or write to **Rev. A. L. Burket,** at McClure Pa., or see **H. C. Dorn,** Hyndman, Pa. Possession given at once.
February 11, 3t.

Pavia, Pa , Jan 25, 1916.
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Dear Sir:—
Aetna Insurance Company's check for full settlement of my claim, for the burning of my dwelling, has been received. We are making arrangements to rebuild and want the Aetna Insurance Company to protect us again.
Yours truly.
(Signed) HENRY I. GARDNER.

Salem, Ohio, Jan. 24, 1916.
J. Roy Cessna, Bedford, Pa.
I find enclosed check for $13.00 or sick benefits which was very satfactory. Thanking you for your past favors.
Yours truly,
(Signed) JOHN YONT.

Dunning's Creek Reformed Charge
J. H. Dorman, Pastor

Fishertown, Services preparatory to Holy Comunion, Saturday, February 12, 10 a. m, Holy Communion, Sunday, February 13, 10 a m There will be no service at St. Paul's on account of work of reconstruction in progress.
or. [illegible]

SALE REGISTER

On Thursday, February 17, Adam F. Diehl will offer at public sale on the Colfelt farm two miles northeast of Bedford, the following personal property: Bay horse, 4 fresh cows, 2 heifers, 7 sheep, Deering binder, grain drill, hay tedder and rake, mower, plows and harrows, wheel barrow, various kinds of harness, and other articles. F. J. Smith, Auctioneer.

G. F. Machtley of West St. Clair Township will offer at public sale ½ mile west of Lovely, on Thursday, February 17, at 1 o'clock sharp the following real estate: Farm containing 96 acres, more or less, 65 acres cleared, the balance in timber, including bark and saw timber, about 15 acres meadow land, well watered, good bank barn, 44x66, 7 room house, weatherboarded and painted, other good out buildings, good orchard. Handy to church, school and store. Also the following personal property: McCormick mowing machine, hay rake, sled runners, etc. J. B. Smith, Auctioneer.

L. W. Egolf, 3 miles west of Schellsburg will offer for public sale on Tuesday, February 22, at 9 o'clock the following personal property: 2 bay mares, black horse, driving horse, yearling colt, 7 milk cows, 13 head of young cattle, 9 head of sheep, brood sow, shoats, hay by ton, oats, grain, buckwheat, wheat, potatoes, apples, grain drill, hay rake, mower, wagons, plows, harness, 4-horse power gasoline engine and many other articles. William Powell, Auctioneer.

On **Saturday,** February 18, at 1 o'clock p. m., E. T. Lewis will offer at public sale at his residence 2½ miles east of Camp Run Church, the following personal property: Gray horse, gray mare, two colts, two cows, two heifers, calf, 13 head sheep, two brood sows, boar, two 2-horse wagons, spring wagon, grain drill, corn planter, spring-tooth harrow, landside plow, hillside plow, single shovel plow, two double shovel plows, feed cutter, cider mill, grain cradle, set blacksmith tools, chains, and grabs, harness, grain, oats, rye, buckwheat, hay, straw, corn fodder, and many other articles. Geo. M. Powell, Auctioneer.

Mary J. Amick will offer at public sale at her residence in Snake Spring Township, known as "The Willows" two and one-half miles east of Bedford, on the Lincoln Highway, on **Thursday, February 24, 1916,** at 1 o'clock p. m., the following personal property: Deerburn wagon, two buggies, one-horse sled, sleigh, harness, two strands of bells, spring wagon tongue, plow, grindstone, Jersey heifer, and many other articles of smaller nature.

Peter Carn, of Imler, Pa., will sell at public sale all his personal property, **Wednesday, March 22, 1916,** at 9 a. m., consisting of 14 head of horses, all in fine shape, well bred and good condition. 12 head of milk cows, 4 heifers, 3 calves and a bull, 4 brood sows and a lot of shoats, grain drill, mower, harrows, plows, harness, buggies, corn fodder, grain and oats. Edward Mason, Auctioneer. D. R. Hoenstine, S. W. Fickes, Clerks.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE

The undersigned appointed auditor by the Orphans' Court of Bedford County, to make distribution of the balance in the hands of A. C. Berkheimer, administrator of the estate of Frederick Berkheimer, late of East St. Clair Township, deceased, will sit for the purpose of his appointment at the Court House in Bedford, on Tuesday, the 7th day of March next. at ten o'clock a. m., when and where all persons interested may attend if they see proper.
J. C. RUSSELL.
Auditor.
HON. D. LLOYD CLAYCOMB, ESQ., Attorney.
Feb. 11. 18, 25.

U S Postoffice Building, Bedford, Pa , Office of Custodian, February 3, 1916. Sealed proposals will be received at this building until 2 o'clock p m., February 21, 1916, and then opened, for furnishing electric current, water, ice, and miscellaneous ent, water, ice, and miscelleneous supplies, removing ashes and rubbish, and washing towels during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917. Sealed proposals will also be received until 2 o'clock p. m. April 10, 1916, and then opened for 60 tons anthricate coal and 2 cords wood. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved by the Treasury Department
A. ENFIELD,
Feb 11, 2t. Custodian

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

[Estate of Adam B. Guyer, late of Woodbury Township, Bedford County, Pa., Deceased.]

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to
ISAAC O. GUYER,
Executor,
R. F. D. 1, Woodbury, Pa.
E M. PENNELL,
Attorney. Feb. 11, 6t

Trinity Lutheran Church
H. E. Wieand, Pastor.

9.4$ a. m., Sabbath School. 11.00 Public Worship, Theme: "The Unvealed Future of the Sons of God". 6.30 p. m., Christian Endeavor. 7.30 p. m., Public Worship, Theme: "Practical Shots for Practical People—who win out in the long run." Saturday evening, Pastor's Class, 7 p. m.

St. John's Reformed Church
J Albert Eyler, Pastor

Rev. J. Albert Eyler, pastor of St. John's Reformed Church is preaching a series of sermons upon the subject: "The Ten Commandments up to date. On next Sunday morning the fourth Commandment will be considered, "Remember the Sabbath Day to keep it Holy." Parents are invited to bring all of their children to the evening service to hear the sermon upon the fifth Commandment, "Honor thy Father and thy Mother".

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Brassieres
The new models are shown here for Spring at prices unmatchable. Quality and Workmanship mark their values.
25c and 50c.

Curtain Draperies
We show the largest assortment in the county and offer them at old prices.
36-in. White Scrim, Open Work Border, 10c yard.
40-in. Mercerized Marquisette, white only, 18c yard.
Bordered Scrim 10c value, 8c.
Plain Mercerized Marquisette 40 inches wide, regular 25c quality, 20c yard.

Shoes That Please, Fit and Give Good Service Are the Kinds Sold Here.
We Are Showing the Spring Styles as Well as for Immediate Use In All Leathers and Styles at Prices Less Than You Pay Elsewhere, and Specially Invite Your Inspection of Our Custom-Made Shoes.
Our Rubber Shoes and Boots Are of First Quality, Having Handled These Makes for a Number of Years, We Can Place Confidence in Their Wear to Our Customers.
GIVE US A CALL WHEN IN NEED OF RUBBER OR LEATHER FOOTWEAR.

PURE, FRESH GROCERIES---SPECIALLY PRICED FOR THIS WEEK.
Oyster, Tea and Soda Crackers, 3 pounds 25c
Regular 12c Ginger Snaps, 3 pounds 25c
Chase & Sanbourne 30c Coffee per pound 26c
Chase & Sanbourne 28c Coffee per pound 24c
Heinz Tomato Catsup, 15c Bottle 13c
Tweed's Pure Cider Vinegar at per Bottle 08c
Florida Oranges, per Dozen 30c
Grape Fruit, 4 for 25c
Heinz Baked Red Kidney Beans, 10c Can - - - - - - - - - - 07c

Forest Fires Destructive.

Harrsiburg, February 7, 1916.

According to forest fires statistics issued today by the Department of Forestry, Pennsylvania lost $850,000 from forest fires in 1915

1,101 fires were reported for the year.

They burned over 42,000 acres of the State Forests, and 295,000 acres of private land. Over $32,000 was spent in extinguishing them.

The causes are given as follows. Railroads, 274 fires, doing $185,000 damage, brush burning on dry or windy days, 105 fires, doing $35,000 damage, incendiary, 102 fires, doing $98,000 damage; carelessness of hunters, fishermen, and campers, 136 fires, doing $108,000 damage, lightning, 19 fires, doing $2,000 damage; miscellaneous, 37 fires, doing $52,000 damage; unknown, 382 fires, doing $365,000 damage.

Department officials say that reasonable care would have prevented practically all the fires except those caused by lightning, and a few which started from burning buildings.

The average fire covered 300 acres, did damage estimated at $775, and cost $30 to extinguish. Half the fires covered less than 100acres each; one-third covered from 100 to 1,000 acres each; and 77 are reported as having burned over more than 1,000 acres each, or about sixty per cent of the total burned area. It is apparent that the greater part of the damage is done by the comparatively few large fires, hence the Department will make a special affort in 1916 to reduce the number of thousand-acre fires.

New York, which protects about the same forest area as Pennsylvania, appropriates a cent an acre each year for prevention and extinction, and the average fire covers only 33 acres: Pennsylvania appropriated only three-tenths of a cent per acre, and its average fire is ten times as large.

The $850,000 loss is the direct loss from burned timber only. The indirect loss cannot be computed accurately, but it is estimated at from $15,000,000 to $25,000,000. In this estimate are included the loss to labor caused by keeping unproductive 5,000,000 acres of forest, every acre of which is burned over once in ten years, the loss in floods, water famines, and impare water supply, caused by the burning of the humus and litter on the forest floor, which is Nature's filter; the loss in taxes, due to depreciation in value of the burned forests, which amounts to about $33,000 a year; and the loss to agricultural crops, which suffer from the reduced humidity of the air where no forests are present to give off moisture. There is also a decided decrease in game and birds, thousands of small animals and birds being actually burned, and thousands more driven from the burned forests.

Bedford County Local Demands Low Compensation Rates and to Have the Double Taxation Elimated.

Bedford, Pa., February 7, 1916

The Bedford County local of the Pennsylvania Thresher's and Farmer's Protective Association met in the Court House, at Bedford, on February 5, 1916, and was called to order by the President, Harry Drenning.

A good number of threshermen were present, the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

It was then decided that the offices of president, secretary and treasurer be vacant.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Harry Drenning, Everett, Rt. 5; Vice President, O. S. Dunkle, Everett, Rt. 1; Secretary, R. V. Crissman, St. Clairsville; Treasurer, D. A. Fetter, Bedford, Rt. 2.

An Executive committee consists of Mr. Harry Drenning, R. V. Crissman, O. S. Dunkle. The elected officers then took charge.

Mr. W. H. Stansbury, of Hollidaysburg, Representative of Emerson—Brantingham, Impt. Co., fully discussed the workman's Compensation Law, and gave an earnest discussion of the local taxation of traction engines.

Dues were paid by those present and assurance by others, will enroll at future meetings.

The opinon of members of the organization by its efforts saved each of us $5.00 per year on the traction engine license, and gave us uniform privilege on any street or highway which is used for other vehicles.

The Local adjourned to meet May 6, 1916

R. V Crissman, Secretary.

POINT

February 7, 1916.

On Tuesday last your correspondent and family had the pleasure of entertaining the following old comrades of Post 332, G. A. R. of Bedford: Peter B. Smith, R. C. Smith, and Isaac Fleegle of Point, and Charles Miller of Fishertown. The occasion was an audit of the quartermaster's books for the last two years. Everybody enjoyed themselves and the Mrs and her sister, both sisters of a soldier who gave his young life for his country, and the one a wife of an old soldier for 52 years, prepared an old soldiers' dinner which was enjoyed and appreciated by the visiting comrades. Come again.

Mrs. Belle Horner had a very successful bean hulling one day last week. She only invited a few friends and a dozen others would like to have had an invitation.

Albert Diehl is very seriously ill at his fathers residence, near Point. Everyone hopes for the young man's recovery to health.

Harry Feather of near Rainsburg, spent several days last week with the family of William Winegardner, who has been seriously ill and is not improving very much.

Enos Blackburn one of our oldest citizens was very much indisposed last week on account of a bad cough. He is able to be about again.

Simon Kinsey of Tull's Hill killed a fine porker recently that weighed 550 pounds.

Jeremiah Ott and wife of New Paris were visiting friends at Point on Sunday. Hooker.

Bedford Presbyterian Church

Divine Worship, at 11 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. In his preaching the pastor shall patriotically draw from the life of the great Lincoln some immortal lessons that will solemnly make us feel grateful for being Christian Americans

THE BIRTH OF A NATION.

Maryland Theatre, Cumberland, Md. February 24, 25, 26—Thursday, Friday, Saturday.

The new theatrical art invested by David W. Griffith in producing The Birth of a Nation" has enabled him to surpass by far any previous stage spectacle "Ben Hur" and "The Blue Bird" sink into insignifiance beside this epic of American history with its 5,000 scenes, 18,000 characters, 3,000 cavalry, 200,000 details the result of eight months of tireless labor and the expenditure of half a million dollars. The great director is being repaid for his monumental effort in motion pictures spectacle by "Capacity" business in the principal theatres of the country.

D. W. Griffith's "The Birth of a Nation" is decidely the most remarkable historical spectacle ever presented in America. It will be seen at the Maryland Theatre soon. Petersburg and Atlanta, Apporatox and Ford's Theatre, the foothills of Couth Carolina and the wild rides of the Ku Klux Klan live again in Mr. Griffith's 12,000 feet of superb motion picture, which took eight months to produce, cost $500,000, employed 18,000 people, and 3,000 horses. The great spectacle is an epitome of scenes, incidents, characters and passions and emotions of the whole period from 1861 to 1870—the period occupied by the Civil War and Reconstruction. Suggested by Thomas Dixon's "The Clansman" and "The Leopard's Spots" it has a grandly epical quality. The enormous popularity achieved by it in New York, Boston, Chicago, San Francisco and Los Angeles has been repeated in all the towns of the route and the [illegible] are that it will crowd the [illegible] tre at every performance. Matinee Friday and Sa[illegible] 2.30 p. m., sharp. This [illegible] chance to see this greates[illegible] outside of our largest [illegible] orders now, Phone 191[illegible]

Friendship Circle o[illegible] formed Church, wil m[illegible] of Mrs. Samuel [illegible] February 16, at 1.3[illegible] Mrs Clayton.

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